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STOLYPIN ASSASSINATED

Premier of Russia, Man Who Dismissed the Duma and Re-Inaugurated Rule of the "Iron Hand," Slain by the Terrorists.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 25.---Premier Stolypim has been assassinated.

The premier was the victim of a bomb thrown by a revolutionist. Details of the outrage are not yet known.

Premier Stolypin was the strong man of Russia. "Strong handed reform" was the keynote of his platform and policy. This he promulgated in plain terms after he was elevated by the Czar on July 22.

He was chosen by the autocratic ruler of Russia as the one man upon whose iron nerve and ability and indomitable courage he could depend to pilot Russia through the present revolutionary upheaval which is about to break upon the country.

DEFIED OPPOSITION.

As soon as Stolypin was "in the saddle" he laid down his programme with utter contempt for the opposition. He expressed firm belief in the loyalty of the masses of the people and affirmed that the agitators in Russia were to be subdued.

During the little over one month of Stolypin's practical dictatorship, his task has been growing greater than even he had dreamed of. All over the country revolutionists have been springing up and fomenting trouble. As fast as the dictator would suppress one outbreak he would have to hurry the forces to another and distant part of the empire.

"Suppression" His Watchword.

He denied in his manifesto that a policy of reaction was the intent of the Czar, but he declared that before there was any possibility of promulgating reforms and bettering the conditions in Russia that the revolutionists must be suppressed.

Guerra Cuts Wires West of Pinar del Rio.

CUBAN REBELS GAIN

Government Rushes Troops to Prevent Capture of the City.

HAVANA, Aug. 25.—Telegraphic communication beyond the city of Pinar del Rio has been broken, and the Cuban Government has lost track of the rebel army.

All trace of Guerra, who, with a force of from 5,000 to 7,000 rebels, repulsed Avalos and his State troops yesterday, has been temporarily lost. There is grave apprehension in Government circles for the fate of the loyal army.

Colonel Guerra is moving somewhere in Pinar del Rio Province, and the imminent probability that he will capture the city of that name is greatly alarming the supporters of President Palma.

The defenders of the city do not know in which direction to look for the attack. Since leaving San Luis and San Juan de Martinez, Guerra's movements have been carefully concealed. He is supposed to have marched on Guanes. This movement was promptly hailed by the government as a retreat. The lack of further information from the insurgent leader, however, has aroused other feelings than that of rejoicing among the defenders of Pinar del Rio city.

It is generally believed that Guerra, in marching away from two cities he could easily have held has laid a trap for the government forces. Loyal troops were at once dispatched to seize the towns abandoned by Guerra. This has weakened the force at Pinar del Rio and made it more open to attack.

The lay of the land is such that by a roundabout march Guerra, after a short march toward Guanes, could return and approach within two miles of Pinar del Rio without being discovered. Eight hours would suffice for him to make this march.

With a part of the small defending force lured away from Pinar del Rio, Guerra's occupation of the place would be made easier. Moreover, if he really has gone to Guanes, Guerra will be the gainer, as his forces are constantly argumentd by the recruiting of men the further he marches. If Pinar del Rio city is to be attacked by the insurgents the next twelve hours will probably tell the story.

BIG BATTLE COMING TO-DAY.

The troops defending Pinar del Rio were too far away to be of any assistance to Avalos, and after making a short stand he was forced to flee before the fierce onslaught of the rebels, who are now said to number close to 7,000 men.

To-day it is expected that the real fight-

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CAMBRIDGE WOMAN IN AUTO CRASH IS DEAD

HUSBAND, ALSO IN HOSPITAL, LEARNS OF THE DEATH OF MRS. LOUIS S. CHASE.

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Louis S. Chase of Cambridge, who was injured in an automobile accident at East Brookfield, on Thursday, died at St. Vincent's Hospital, this city, early to-day. She never regained consciousness.

Death was caused by a fracture of the skull, which the physicians discovered at the first examination. Almost from the first the physicians feared that Mrs. Chase could not recover.

Shock to Husband.

In another room in the same hospital Mr. Chase is suffering from a fracture of the right leg and general bruises. He has been anxious for his wife, and the news of her death, which was quietly broken to him to-day, was a great shock.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Irving H. Page of Chicopee Falls were also injured in the accident. Mr. Page was only slightly bruised while Mr. Page is suffering from broken ribs and bruises.

In Path of Train.

It was while the chauffeur was attempting to cross the tracks of the Boston & Albany, at East Brookfield, that the sad accident occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Chase had started on a tour through the State and Mr. and Mrs. Page were their guests. They were on their way from Boston to Springfield when the automobile, a new one, was struck by an express train.

MAD CAT CLAWS 3 CHILDREN

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 25.—Suffering intense pain as the result of attacks from a mad cat, Mary Dwyer, six years old; Daniel O'Reilly, seven, and Dora Lamorge, ten, who live on Wickenden street, are in a very precarious condition.

While the children were playing about the sidewalk the cat sprang upon them. All efforts to escape the animal were unavailing, and it was not until Patrolman Alexander Brown arrived that the children were rescued.

GIRLS PRAY TOO MUCH IN ZION

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—Four girls have been discharged from the Zion City Lace Works for failing to obey the rule that they shall not pray during work hours but on their own time.

Zion people pray at certain times each day, but that those working by the hour are docked for time spent in prayer has not been generally known.

Of late some workers have been inclined to slight the rule, believing they should not be docked for it.

CAPTAIN N. APPLETON DIES AT NOON TO-DAY

PASSES AWAY IN HIS APARTMENTS AT THE HOTEL NOTTINGHAM.

Captain Nathan Appleton died at the Hotel Nottingham at noon today. He had been unconscious for the past twelve hours. Death was due to a chronic kidney trouble.

For details of Captain Appleton's illness see Page 7.

SHIP BOSTON BOY HOME.

BUFFALO, Aug. 25.—Winnie C. Matthews, about nineteen years old, a schoolboy from Boston, was arrested at the Erie railroad station on the charge of vagrancy. Magistrate Nash discharged the prisoner, turning him over to the charity society for transportation to Boston.

ROAD EARNS 14 PER CENT.

The report of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for the fiscal year which ended June 30, shows a surplus of over $5,000,000, after paying a dividend of eight per cent. on the capital of $83,377,000, which is equivalent to a net earning of fourteen per cent.

I WILL DO NOTHING TO STEM THE MORAN TIDE

—MAYOR FITZGERALD

WON'T TRY TO STOP WARD LEADERS DECLARING FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR GOVERNOR

Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, in an interview with the BOSTON AMERICAN today by telephone from Old Orchard, stated that in his opinion District Attorney John B. Moran was the strongest candidate in the field at present for the Democratic nomination for Governor and that he had heard or seen nothing to cause him to change the opinion expressed Wednesday evening, prior to his departure for New York to attend the Bryan reception committee meeting, that it looked like a clear field for Moran.

The Mayor said to-day:

"Many of my friends, people very close to me, seem to believe that Moran is the strongest candidate the Democratic party can nominate, and are coming out for him. I shall not permit the Mayor's office to be used to stem the tide that is setting in towards Moran and the ward leaders may declare themselves without fear of any interference from the administration."

Mayor Not Interfering.

"The fact that your brother, Henry S. Fitzgerald, has pledged himself to Moran and that the Ward 6 committee has declared in his favor is taken generally as an indication of your sentiments, Mr. Mayor?" said the reporter.

"I haven't discussed the situation with Henry at all," replied Mayor Fitzgerald, "and my course toward his action will be the same as it is toward the other ward leaders, namely, as I said before, they may declare for Moran if they wish to, without any fear of interference from me."

"Will the Democratic City Committee, in your opinion, Mr. Mayor, take any action on Moran's candidacy?"

"I don't believe the city committee as an organization will indorse Moran or any one else," replied Mayor Fitzgerald. "The ward leaders and ward organizations will undoubtedly do so, however, as they are doing at present."

Means Only What He Said.

"Does your statement made before leaving Boston, that it 'looked like a clear field for Moran,' mean that you are for him?"

"No, it means just what I said. I do not wish to make any further statement now," said the Mayor. Continuing the Mayor said.

"I haven't been in Boston for more than forty-eight hours. Thursday evening after the meeting of the Bryan reception committee, in company with my two brothers and their families, a party of ten of us, I left New York on the Portland boat and was on the water until last night. Therefore, I am not familiar with the developments of the past forty-eight hours in Massachusetts politics."

There was no truth in the report, Mayor Fitzgerald said, that Josiah Quincy had gone over to New York to see him.

"I did not know that Quincy had gone to New York until told so by a newspaper man. I left immediately after the meeting of the Reception Committee and did not see him, if he went over," said the Mayor.

His Honor stated that he would be back in Boston Monday morning, but that he did not believe he would issue any formal statement until later of his attitude on the gubernatorial situation.

BRYAN'S STEAMER STOPS AT AZORES

NEW YORK, Aug 25.—The North German Lloyd liner Prinzess Irene, on board which William J. Bryan is coming here, arrived at Fayal, Azores, last night.

The reason for the stop at Fayal was not given in the cablegram, but it is supposed that it was to take on coal.

THREE—TICKETS TO WONDERLAND WITH TO-MORROW'S SUNDAY AMERICAN—FREE ADMISSION TO THE GROUNDS, RIDE ON THE CHUTES, TICKET TO THE FATAL WEDDING—**THREE**

POLITICAL MIX PUT WHITNEY'S PAPER AWAY

Cartoon Shows His Bandwagon Leading All; Editorial Scores State Machine.

KIND WORDS FOR MORAN.

A most inconsistent mixing of cartoon and editorial in to-day's number of the weekly publication supported by Henry M. Whitney adds unexpected spice to the mess that has been made out of the Whitney candidacy for Governor. Things moved so quickly in the last few days that the cartoonist and editor did not have time to get together and fix up things to meet the changed political conditions. The result is a "before" cartoon and an "after" editorial, one contradicting the other.

In the cartoon are seen two band wagons, one a cheap old one-horse affair, with John B. Moran on the driver's seat puffing away at a big black cigar and vigorously belaboring a balky old skate of a horse that is sitting on his tail and giving Moran the laugh. Other caricatured ornaments of the Moran band wagon are Timothy W. Coakley, "Jerry" Watson playing a concertina, and an indictment clerk falling off under a heavy load of indictments. On the ground are four smoking cigars and a lemon.

Whitney on His Band Wagon.

Coming proudly down the street is the Henry M. Whitney band wagon, drawn by two high-stepping horses, with Josiah Quincy the outrider, blowing a long horn. Through a cloud of cheers, bands and hurrahs the gorgeous Whitney vehicle is passing. On the front seat is Whitney himself gotten up in Tuxedo effect and blowing a trombone. Beside him are "Fitz" and "Sullivan," presumably the mayor and congressman. The former is playing a trombone, too, but he has his slide extended to the limit. Sullivan is blowing himself with a big bass horn. McNary is seen with a cornet just peeping through his whiskers, and Gaston looms up as the big noise with the brass drum. And above the outfit is the legend, "Altogether now."

Not yet have they seen the lemon on the ground, but soon, next week, the cartoon will show Quincy in his great act of picking up the sour thing and handing it to his friend Whitney. Because the sight of a lemon, so it is said, makes their mouths pucker so that they cannot play the brasses, members of a German band are sometimes made the victims of practical jokers, who stand in front of them sucking on the yellow fruit. The next cartoon in the Whitney comic weekly will illustrate how the members of the Whitney band lost control of their wind instruments when they say Josiah pass the lemon.

The cartoon was ready for the press on Wednesday, when the political storm of the week that swept Whitney out of the field broke, and in the hurry of changing the makeup it was overlooked. But a new set of editorials was furnished by the versatile press agent editor, the most striking being headed "What Will Moran Do?" It is very complimentary of Moran and condemnatory of the Gaston-Whitney-Thayer machine. It is really in the most approved Moran style. But, compared with the cartoon, it makes funny reading. It grills the very men on the Whitney band wagon in the cartoon, who are classed as "all together now."

Oh! Oh! From Whitney, Too.

And this, from the printed contradiction of the cartoon, is rich:

"When Moran entered this fight, he did so because he thought the State machine needed to be torn to pieces. We agree with him. The outfit is on the bum. It is really owned by the corporations, and it is time that it was wiped off the map.

"Mr. Whitney is not identified with the Democratic State machine and never was. Mr. Moran believed otherwise. He knows differently now that he has seen the way in which Mr. Whitney resents the malicious interference of the so-called State leaders."

Advising Mr. Moran to withdraw in favor of Mr. Whitney and thus rebuke the Democratic State machine this serio-comic editorial puts the finishing touch on the Whitney and state machine lightning change act. But funniest of all is the failure to explain how the artist could picture Fitzgerald and McNary on the same bandwagon, if anything could possibly be funnier than the sentiment solemnly uttered by the Whitney editor that the "Democratic State machine is owned by the corporations and should be wiped off the map," and that "Mr. Whitney resents the malicious interference of the so-called State leaders."

Whitney out against the corporations, the machines and the fake leaders in politics! Ouch!

40 IN PERIL BY EXPLOSION

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug 25.—Forty tenants of an apartment house at No. 458 Carroll street, Brooklyn, were thrown into a panic to-day by a terrific explosion, which shook the whole block and resulted in serious injury to Vincent Christiano, a wealthy iron dealer, who, with his wife and children, lives in the house. There was every indication that dynamite had caused the explosion and Christiano's friends declare that his enemies are responsible for it. Alleged "Black Hand" societies have recently brought about a reign of terror in the vicinity.

TRAINS HELD UP BY CRASH

Trains running between Mattapan and Dorchester were held up for some time to-day, owing to a rear end collision between two freight trains. The accident happened at Forest avenue. Train No. 90 of the N. Y., N. H. & H. system was pulling into the station when Train 120 failing, on account of the fog, to sight the train ahead, crashed into the caboose and knocked it and another car off the track.

In some mysterious way those occupying the caboose escaped injury. The wrecking crew removed the battered cars after an hour and twenty minutes work.

HOLD MAN FOR GRAND JURY IN $2,000 THEFT

Charged with the larceny of goods from residences in Somerville and Cambridge, the care of which was intrusted him while the owners were away at the seashore, Timothy D. Shine, of No. 10 Harrison street, Somerville, was arraigned before Judge Stone in the Cambridge District Court to-day and bound over for the Grand Jury under $1,000 bonds. The police charge that over $2,000 worth of property was found in pawnshops where Shine had left it.

Eleven-Year-Old Girl to Swim 3 1-2 Miles To-day

Snapshot Taken Especially for the Boston American.

ROSE PITENOF, CLEVER GIRL SWIMMER.

Eleven-year-old miss, known for her prowess in the water, seeks new swimming record to-day, the most ambitious effort she has yet made in a series of remarkable exhibitions for one so young.

Rose Pitenoff Will Cleave Through Water from Freeport Street Bath to Thompson's Island.

The champion little girl swimmer of all Dorchester tries for a new record to-day.

She is eleven-year-old Rose Pitenof, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Pitenof of No. 335 Freeport street, Dorchester. She is four feet tall and her chubby frame contains seventy-three pounds of well-hardened flesh and sturdy bones. She is a fast runner and is quite athletic, so far as a little girl can be. But it is in the water that she seems most at home.

Rose has won various races, medals and other prizes since she learned to swim four years ago. She has broken the record over the one and one-half mile course from Freeport Street Bathhouse to Savin Hill Beach and back. She did it in fifty-three minutes, which beats by three seconds the old record held by Miss Rose Kelley.

To Swim 3½ Miles.

To-day's attempt will be Miss Rose's most ambitious yet. Accompanied by Swimming Instructor George DeCost, rowing along beside her, she will swim from the Freeport Street Bathhouse out to Thompson's Island, a distance of three and one-half miles. She will not attempt to swim back, but will return in DeCost's rowboat, as the double trip would be too much of an effort in a try for a record.

It was four years ago when little Rose presented herself at the Freeport Street Bath for instruction by DeCost. The instructor found her an apt pupil. She developed a fast stroke, with a peculiar cross-leg stroke that she can keep up apparently indefinitely. She swims the ordinary breast stroke with her strong young arms.

Under DeCost's tutelage she has become proficient as a diver also. One of her favorite tricks is to dive from a fifty-foot height, turning over in the air as she falls and cleaving the water like an arrow from a bow. Then she comes up smiling, as though she had done nothing more ordinary than getting up out of a chair.

Not the Least Afraid.

Her swim to-day takes her through some of the trickiest currents and channels of Dorchester shore waters, but Miss Rose isn't a bit afraid. She says:

"I'm not in the least afraid. I shall cover the distance in record time, I hope, and shall use the cross-leg and breast stroke, as usual. I find these the least tiresome and great distance makers."

Instructor DeCost says:

"I have a number of girl and boy swimmers under my care and can honestly say that Rose has developed and improved wonderfully in her swimming. I tried all through South Boston and the city to get a girl swimmer to compete with Rose in her swim to Thompson's Island, but failed to find anyone to accept the challenge.

Incidentally, little Rose is not devoting her young life to swimming lessons alone. She is a pupil in the Mary Hemenway school, Adams street, Dorchester, and learns her school lessons as shrewdly as she learns her swimming lessons.

Swimming Feats of Little Rose Pitenof

1902—Learned to swim at age of seven.

August 31, 1904—Won chatelaine bag prize in girls' swimming contest.

August 19, 1905—Won first prize in 25-yard contest.

September 16, 1905—Won silver loving cup, first prize, in one-half mile swim, from 25 competitors in Dorchester Yacht Club water sports.

June 19, 1906 —(Dorchester Day)—Won two gold medals in 40 and 80-yard swims.

July 29, 1906—Swam from Freeport street bathhouse to Savin Hill beach and back, one and one-half miles, in 53 minutes, beating former record of Miss Rose Kelley by three seconds.

'WHO'LL SAVE THE MACHINE?' CRY OF BOSSES

Democratic "Leaders" Are Still Unable to Find Way Out of Whitney-Douglas Muddle.

QUINCY MUCH PERPLEXED

Not within the memory of the oldest member of the Democratic State machine was there ever such a political muddle as that in which the so-called leaders of the machine find themselves lost at this time. The situation is tersely explained by one of the staunchest followers of Gaston and Quincy as follows:

"It seems to be a case of the bosses and the available candidates for Governor saying to each other, 'It's up to you to save the party and the machine and please be the sacrifice.'"

As a matter of fact, Henry M. Whitney is saying that ex-Governor William L. Douglas is the only man who can unite the elements against John B. Moran, and Douglas insists that he will not make the fight. Ex-Congressman John R. Thayer of Worcester says Congressman John A. Sullivan is the only man for the emergency, and Sullivan thinks either Thayer or Whitney should be induced to take the nomination, if it can be delivered to him. And Josiah Quincy, waiting orders from Colonel William A. Gaston, is floundering around in the puddle and insisting that Douglas should be the candidate of the machine, that Whitney should be the candidate of the machine, and that, as a last resort, Sullivan should allow himself to be drafted.

Whitney Stands Firm.

Mr. Whitney, safe from the turmoil of politics at his asbestos mine in Quebec, says he will not reconsider his decision and positively refuses to be jollied again into a combative mood. In an interview, he says:

"Under no circumstances that I can conceive of as possible would I re-enter the contest."

"Suppose Mr. Moran should withdraw in your favor, and Mr. Douglas and Mr. Thayer should fall into line and openly give you their support?"

"I do not admit that to be a supposable case."

"You don't think Mr. Moran would retire for anybody?"

"That is my impression."

"Could you be induced to enter the fight against Mr. Moran if Mr. Douglas and all the other Democratic leaders should publicly promise to give you their support?"

"No sir, I could not."

Looks to ex-Governor.

"I still feel," continued Mr. Whitney, "that Governor Douglas is the only man who can straighten out this tangle and bring order out of this chaotic condition of affairs," and the several reiterations of this statement during the interview made it clear that he places all the responsibility upon the ex-Governor for the present condition of affairs.

In response to specific questions, Mr. Whitney further declared that he did not believe Mr. Moran would consent to withdraw for anybody.

COMMITTEE IS OUT FOR MORAN

Indorsement of the candidacy of John B. Moran has been given by the Democratic City Committee of Everett through a resolution presented by T. J. Hawkins, which is as follows:

"Whereas, conditions existing in the control of the Democratic party in the State of Massachusetts make it imperative that said control shall be wrested from those who hold it only in the interest of the exploiting classes and to the injury of the people, and that upright, justice-loving men, without fear of predatory wealth and with the courage to administer the power placed in their hands, be appointed to leadership. Therefore, be it

"Resolved, that, recognizing the sterling qualities of John B. Moran and his entire fitness for the position, the Democratic Ward and City Committee of Everett takes pride in indorsing him as its candidate for Governor."

THEATRE ONLY ONE OF KIND

Boston is to have another beautiful place of amusement, and this one is to be unique, the only one of its kind in the country. It is the Theatre Comique, located on Tremont row, and it will be opened in a few days. The exterior, now covered by scaffolding, is of marble, and the entrance is under a huge arch. The interior is finished in white and gold, over $25,000 having been expended in fitting it up.

The Theatre Comique is intended for the display of the finest kind of colored moving pictures and for illustrated songs. It is arranged exactly like a theatre, with stage, orchestra chairs, etc. In fact, it is a theatre in every sense. Its seating capacity is 400. It will be run chiefly for the entertainment of women and children, and, as Manager M. H. Marks says, the men follow the women.

250 GIRL STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Aug. 25.—The 250 girls employed by the Continental Paper Bag Company, who suspended work Thursday because of the refusal of an increase of twenty-five cents a day, voted to go back to work to-day, pending a settlement.

BOSTON DIVER AFTER BODY.

PITTSFIELD, Aug 25.—A Boston diver is today searching for the body of Donald Campbell, aged eighteen, butler for Mrs. John Sloane, at Wyndhurst, who was drowned while sailing on Laurel lake yesterday afternoon. Emil Liddell saw the boat capsize and notified the authorities.

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IMPORTANT NEWS

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WASHINGTON.

JAPAN BEGINS INVESTIGATION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Masanao Hanihara, second secretary of the Japanese embassy, has been ordered to proceed to Alaska to investigate the killing of the Japanese seal poachers who were caught recently in a raid on the rookeries at St. Paul Island. He was furnished yesterday with full details of the official reports received here.

SECRETARY SHAW VISITS BOSTON MONDAY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Secretary Shaw left last night for Boston, where he will arrive Monday, to select a site for the new federal building.

RECIPROCITY WITH SPAIN SEPT. 1.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—It was announced at the State Department yesterday that the new reciprocity treaty with Spain will become effective in both countries about September 1, and that the schedules will be published as quickly as possible.

HAYTI TO DEMAND GOLD.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The state department has been advised by the American consul at Port au Prince that the President of Hayti has signed a decree providing that all import duties are to be paid in American gold or Haitien paper currency of 300 per cent. depreciation.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

WELLMAN GETTING READY.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Walter Wellman, the Arctic explorer, telegraphs from Spitzbergen that he has been greatly delayed in the completion of the balloon house and by minor defects in the mechanical part of his airship, but adds that it will still be possible, weather permitting, to get away for the pole during the first week in September.

FOREIGN.

RUSSIAN STATE FUNDS STOLEN.

ST PETERSBURG, Aug. 25.—About $75,000, three-quarters of which belongs to the state, mysteriously disappeared while in transit from Erivan to this city and packages addressed to the Imperial Bank were found to be filled with lead.

CABLE FROM DENMARK TO ICELAND LAID.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 25.—The cable to Iceland has been completed and will be opened to public use August 27. The first message sent was a greeting from King Frederick to his subjects on the distant island.

SULTAN HAS ANOTHER RELAPSE.

VIENNA, Aug. 25.—Word has been received here from Constantinople that the Sultan of Turkey has had another relapse, but that he attended the Selamlik on Friday.

GENERAL.

ADDS TWO TROLLEY LINES.

WESTFIELD, Aug. 25.—The Woronoco and Western Massachusetts street railways have been sold to the Springfield street railways, to be under the control of the big trolley syndicate which has taken over the trolley lines of the Consolidated system.

$20,000 TO FIX NASHVILLE.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The survey of the gunboat Nashville received by the Navy Department from the Boston navy yard shows that $20,000 will be required for the repairs on that vessel.

ADMIRAL'S BODY ON WAY.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 25.—The gunboat Princeton has arrived from Victoria with the body of the late Rear Admiral Charles J. Train, and it has been shipped East.

TO SETTLE DIFFERENCES.

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 25.—A call has gone out for an urgent meeting of the Canadian cabinet here next week. Speculation associates the meeting with the recent visit of Sir Mortimer Durand to Quebec, and it is believed that an effort is to be made to settle all questions on which differences of opinion are likely to arise between Canada and the United States.

LIPPE PRINCESS DEAD.

DETMOLD, Ger., Aug. 25.—Princess Pauline of Lippe, the last descendant of the former reigning house, died here yesterday, rendering the line extinct.

NOTED PAINTER DEAD.

PARIS, Aug. 25.—Alfred Stevens, the celebrated Belgian genre painter, died here yesterday, aged seventy-eight.

BILL TO STOP BETTING.

SIDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 25.—After an exciting all-night session, the Assembly of New South Wales by a large majority passed to a second reading the bill prohibiting all gaming and betting.

DEATHS.

WELL-KNOWN MINING MAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 25.—C. W. Treat, a well-known mining man, who was born near Bangor, Me., is dead here, aged sixty-five. His remains will be sent to Boston, where he has a wife and two married children.

OLD CASHIER DROPS DEAD.

George W. Haris, ex-cashier of the National Bank of Commerce, who retired two years ago, after fifty-four years of service in the employ of the bank, dropped dead in the offices of the bank yesterday from heart failure, aged seventy-eight.

FINANCIAL.

TO GET SHARE OF ASSETS.

In behalf of the Fall River Five Cents Savings Bank a creditors' petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed yesterday against President Hinckley of the defunct Chelsea First National Bank of Chelsea, in order to prevent the absorption of the whole of his assets for the benefit of the latter bank.

20 PER CENT TO DEPOSITORS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—Five thousand depositors in the defunct Milwaukee Avenue State Bank have been notified by the receiver to call at the bank and receive a twenty per cent. dividend on their deposits. The remaining depositors will be cared for in the same way in 5,000 lots.

MOTHER OF 2 ENDS HER LIFE

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Mary J. Hunter, who attempted suicide last night by slashing her throat with a razor, died early to-day. Her act is attributed to a fit of despondency. Previous to the deed she had called a policeman to her house and told him that people were following her and spying on her movements. A few minutes later her husband found her lying on the floor, dying.

Mrs. Hurter was the wife of Charles A. Hurter, a superintendent for the Dennison Tag Company. She was forty years old and leaves two children.

HOWARD GETS MEDAL.

NORWICH, Ct., Aug. 25.—Clifford Howard, a sixteen-year-old Washington boy, won the tournament of the National Roque Association, and will bring home the championship medal for 1906.

VANDERBILT WEAKENS; $15 AUTO FINE PAID

MILLIONAIRE WIRES LAWYER TO PLEAD GUILTY IN DEDHAM COURT TO-DAY.

The comedy of "The Vanderbilt Coup, or Willie K., Jr., Won't Pay the Auto Fine," ended in an unexpected fizzle on the stage of Dedham District Court to-day when W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., failed to carry out his threat to fight the $15 fine imposed by Judge Emery Grover for overspeeding.

Instead, Mr. Vanderbilt paid the fine through his attorney, Arthur Clark, of Dedham. A large audience, which had gathered to see Mr. Vanderbilt fight the case and to see Mrs. Willie K., Jr's., newest Paris hat and frock, wanted its money back.

There was Judge Grover "waiting at the court."

But Willie K., Jr., telegraphed to Arthur Clark "I can't come."

And the audience said to itself, "Maybe his wife won't let him."

Fighting Blood Cooled.

The prologue of this comedy was in Dedham, Sunday, August 19, when Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt and their chauffeur were held up by the Dedham police on a charge of overspeeding through the famous Dedham auto trap. At the police station Mr. Vanderbilt declared they were not going over ten miles an hour. He said he was driving the car himself. Mrs. Vanderbilt corroborated her husband's statement. The police said that the auto was going much faster.

But when the case was called the next day Grover continued the case till to-day, as Mr. Vanderbilt wished to contest it. It was understood that Mr. Vanderbilt and his wife would be in court to-day to make their contest in person.

Promptly at 9 o'clock to-day Judge Grover mounted the bench. But there was no sign of either Mr. or Mrs. Vanderbilt. Instead, Attorney Clark handed to Clerk Fellows the bill of complaint, with the "plead guilty" endorsement written on the back.

Clerk Fellows whispered to Judge Grover and the latter smiled grimly to himself. The usual fine of $15 was imposed. Then Attorney Clark walked over to Court Officer Henry Humphreys, dug down into his pocket and produced $15, which Humphreys pocketed. Humphreys smiled, Attorney Clark smiled and then started away.

Telegraphed to Pay.

When the reporters gathered about him Attorney Clark produced a telegram sent to him by Mr. Vanderbilt from New York yesterday, instructing him to plead guilty and pay the fine as Mr. Vanderbilt could not appear.

This makes another notable victory for the Dedham auto trap. Recently one of the Iselins was caught there and fined. Then Harold S. Vanderbilt, brother of Willie K., Jr., was nabbed and fined.

And now comes Willie K., Jr., and his distinguished wife, formerly Miss Virginia Fair, first to get held up, next to start a contest and finally to give in and pay the fine.

The "trap" is situated along Washington street, the main thoroughfare in Dedham, and the road between Boston and Providence. The beginning of the "trap" for the purpose of waylaying autoists from Boston is at Elm street, not far out from Memorial square, Dedham. In a spot shaded by trees thirty feet in from the street at this point stands Special Officer Perley W. Smith. An eighth of a mile along the road stands hidden Patrolman Charles J. Hatch. Finally, in an old shanty, almost at the Dedham-Westwood line on Gay street, lies concealed Special Officer Albert S. Crocker.

"Plead Guilty" Telegram Sent by W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

New York, Aug. 24, 1906.
Arthur Clark, Dedham, Mass.:
Plead guilty Saturday morning in Dedham District Court as it will be impossible for me to appear in Dedham at any time.
W. K. VANDERBILT, JR.

MARCONI PLANS NEW WIRELESS STATION

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 25.—Marconi says he is erecting a wireless station at Clifton, Ireland, which will be the most powerful on this side of the Atlantic. A similar station will be built on Cape Breton, which will make it possible to send direct messages to America.

THREE FREE TICKETS
—FOR—
WONDERLAND, THE CHUTES,
THE FATAL WEDDING
WITH
SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN

POLICE HUNT WOMAN ROBBER IN GUN DUEL

Aided by Man She Tries to Rob Railroad Station and Fires at Agent.

PRETTY AND DRESSED NEAT

EAST DOUGLAS, Aug. 25.—Hard at work searching for every possible clue, the police of East Douglas are to-day endeavoring to find some trace that will enable them to capture the daring, well-dressed and distinguished looking woman who, with a well-bred appearing man as an assistant, attempted to break into the safe of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at the station here yesterday, being routed only after a fierce interchange of shots with John J. Murphy, a telegraph operator.

So far, the police officers will not state what success they have had in their effort to gain a clue to the desperate couple. That Murphy was able to foil the woman and prevent the looting of the station was due largely to the failing courage of the woman burglar's companion, who suddenly lost his nerve and ran, while the woman bold as a lion, blazed away at the telegraph operator, covering her companion's retreat. Her revolver still blazing away, she slowly followed the man and disappeared in the darkness after him.

Murphy was on watch at the window of his lookout at 2 a. m., when the woman suddenly appeared on the station platform.

She came from behind a shed and Murphy wondered who she was and what she wanted at that hour.

Burglary never entered his mind, but when he saw a man emerge from the same shed and make for the station he became uneasy. He quietly made his way down the stairs to the station, and had just taken his seat in the ticket agent's office when he saw the face of the man at the window.

Despite the whispered command from the woman, then unseen, the man, who is described as refined looking and large, with a diamond in his shirt front, seemed afraid to smash the glass.

Suddenly the man was pushed aside and the daring female burglar took his place. With a stone she dashed the window pane all over the interior of the office. Murphy, who till then had been in the shadow, suddenly loomed across her gaze, but the fact disconcerted her for only a moment. Murphy's revolver, however, pointed at her heart, led her to stop and attempt a parley.

Murphy stopped her instantly and demanded that the man step out of the shadow, and in that way he got both the robbers directly in front of him. So quickly did it happen that neither had been able to draw a weapon. Regardless of that fact, the woman demanded the money in the safe. Murphy said there was none, but she informed him that all the receipts of a large excursion party of the day before were locked in the company's strong box. Murphy knew this but supposed that only he and the station agent were aware of it.

Then began a parley, in which the woman told Murphy all the dire things that would happen to him if he did not get out of the way and allow the desperadoes to rifle the safe. Murphy refused to see the matter in that way and tried to devise means by which he could get on the outside of the station without allowing them to get in. If he lowered the revolver to climb through the window he would place the matter all in the hands of the crooks, while he could not leave his place to get out by the door.

The woman saw his predicament and tauntingly told him that he could do nothing but give in or shoot them, and added that she dared him to do that. Suddenly and without warning, the man spoiled her game by ducking under the cover of the window ledge and running down the platform.

Murphy pointed the revolver in his direction and fired a shot. When the smoke cleared away he saw his mistake, for the woman had him covered, and deliberately fired at his head. Murphy dodged, thus giving the woman time to follow her confedrate.

She slowly backed down the station platform. Murphy fired two more shots at the running man, and each of these was answered with a shot from the woman's revolver. In fact, she covered the retreat of her assistant with a ruse that would have done credit to a West Pointer.

Every shot she fired was intended to do business, as the bullets about the window, all on a level with Murphy's head, testified. After the fusillade the burglars met at the corner of the shed, and when Murphy last saw them they were fleeing down the track in the direction of Blackstone.

LED BY WOMAN, AUTO BANDITS FOILED BY BOY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Undaunted by the elaborate plans which have been made for their capture, the motor bandits of Long Island, who are led by a woman, attempted another daring robbery yesterday near Oyster Bay.

The home of Harry Hayward of the Oyster Bay Bank, in East Norwich, was entered by two men, masked, wearing auto goggles, while the other two members of the party waited in the big touring car a few hundred yards away.

The burglars went into the bedroom of Gordon Hayward, Mr. Hayward's fourteen-year-old son, and one of the intruders inadvertently flashed his dark lantern in the boy's face. The lad leaped to his feet and screamed, and his father, arming himself, ran into the room.

The burglars retreated by the window through which they had entered the house and ran to the waiting automobile. The car had no lights, but Mr. Hayward was convinced that there were four men in the party.

Woman at Steering Wheel.

An Oyster Bay milk man who met a speeding motor car coming from the direction of the Hayward home a short time after the attempted robbery, said the car contained three men and a woman. The man had caught barely a glimpse of the faces of those in the machine as they flashed past him, but he is confident that a woman was seated at the steering wheel.

A comparison of Hayward's description of the marauding party and that of the man who later met them has convinced the authorities that the woman leader of the band has been forced to wear trousers by her sudden notoriety and is masquerading as a man.

Descriptions of the fair-haired, athletic young woman who is said to have led all the recent safe blowing expeditions to Nassau county, have been sent to the sheriff and district attorney of the county by many persons who believe they have seen her.

CUPID IS MASTER OF CEREMONIES ON THE NORTH SHORE TODAY

TWO SOCIETY BELLES LED TO THE ALTAR, ONE TO BE BRIDE OF TITLED FOREIGNER, THE OTHER OF POPULAR BOSTONIAN

Snapshots by Boston American Staff Photographer.

TWO SOCIETY FAVORITES WHO BECOME BRIDES ON NORTH SHORE TO-DAY

Emily Sargent of Boston Marries Baron John Knoop of Germany.

Two weddings, one of them at least of more than national importance, are events of this vicinity to-day. The social and diplomatic eyes of the country are riveted on these occasions, for both brides and both bridegroms are well known social leaders in this and foreign lands.

At Magnolia, the beautiful summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sargent, of Beacon street, Boston, was the wedding of Miss Emily Sargent, their second daughter. The elder daughter is Mrs. Ellerton P. Whitney, of Milton, who was married several years ago, that occasion being remembered for the magnificence of the appointments. The bridegroom is Baron John Ludwig Knoop, of Schloss Muhlenthal, near Bremen, Germany, who, with his father, Baron John Knoop, and Baroness Knoop, his mother, arrived in Boston for the ceremony on August 16.

Few Attend Ceremony.

The ceremony, which was performed at 12:30 o'clock amid a riot of hydrangeas and Killarney roses at the end of the wide hall in the Sargent villa on Magnolia avenue, was witnessed by only the relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom. The Rev. Markham Stackpole, of the Central Congregational Church, Boston, officiated.

There were no bridesmaids to divide interest with the bride, who, in her Parisian gown of white liberty satin, trimmed with white tulle and orange blossoms, made a picture of youthful loveliness.

The groom was attended by his cousin, Carl Woide, of Germany, as best man. There were no ushers.

The bouquet carried by the bride was a decided innovation and created no little sensation. It was a marvellously wrought French confection of orange blossoms and lace.

However quietly it may be celebrated, a wedding in which an American girl and a titled foreigner are directly concerned never fails to excite interest, and ever since the 16th, when the baron, with his father, Baron John Knoop, his stepmother, Baroness May Knoop, and his cousin, Carl Woide, arrived in America the North Shore has been in a maze of pleasurable anticipation, and no little disappointment was felt when it was learned that the wedding was to be "as small and quiet as possible."

Will Live Near Bremen.

After the reception, in which the young couple were assisted in receiving by their respective parents, an elaborate breakfast was served on the wide piazzas of the villa. During the reception the groom's stepmother, in a gown of rich black lace, and the bride's mother, in an exquisite creation of black and white chiffon, made an ideal foil for the winsome young baroness in her bridal robes.

Early next week Baron Knoop and his bride will sail for England, where they have taken a house for the Winter. His home is Schloss Muhlenthal, near Bremen, and it is there they will eventually reside.

At Manchester-by-the-Sea occurs the wedding of petite and charming Naneen Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Mitchell, of Cincinnati, Washington and New York. The Mitchell summer home is in Manchester, where the family has a large and rich estate, and where they have been accustomed to spend the heated term for several years past. Miss Mitchell to-day becomes the bride of Quincy A. Shaw, 2d, a son of Mrs. Louis Agassiz Shaw, a member of the old Saltonstall family and a resident of Chestnut Hill, Brookline.

Most Brilliant of Year.

The Shaw-Mitchell nuptials will take place this afternoon. Although it was intended to be small and quiet, the family connections are so large and fashionable and the friends so numerous and so closely indentified with all that is smart and exclusive, both in Boston and Cincinnati, it could not fail to be the most brilliant wedding celebrated on the North Shore in many years.

The Rev. William H. Dewart, rector of Christ Protest Episcopal Church, Hyde Park, will officiate at the ceremony which will be performed in the large drawing room of the Mitchell residence in Glenoyne amid a beautiful setting of pink water lilies and palms.

The bride who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Mitchell of Cincinnati and Manchester, will wear an elaborate gown of white satin and tulle, trimmed with Duchesse lace. Her bouquet will be of valley lilies and pink roses.

She will have for her attendants Mary Bigelow of Commonwealth avenue and Cohasset, her maid of honor; Eleanor Sears, Alice West of Chestnut Hill, Grace Probasco of Cincinnati and Susan Thayer. Every one of the five attendants is pretty, for who that is young, happy and smiling wouldn't be attractive in filmy gowns of white lace, jaunty white hats trimmed with white plumes and carrying immense shower bouquets of valley lilies, the costumes they will wear.

There will be a cheerful informality about the whole affair which will make it thoroughly delightful.

Huntington Wolcott is best man and the ushers are Robert Grant, Jr., Harrison Tweed, George West, Rudolph Weld and Louis A. Shaw, brother of the groom.

After the reception, which will follow the ceremony, the young couple will start on their honeymoon, which is to be spent in America. Later they will return to the North Shore for a time before taking up their residence in Boston.

Both Are Love Matches.

At both the Sargent and Mitchell residences almost feverish preparations have been making for several weeks past. To-day both of these elegant summer homes are transformed by the skill of the decorator's art into marvels of beauty, floral devices predominating in the schemes employed.

Unusual romances are the underlying causes of both of these weddings. Both are desirable from family and social points of view and both are love matches. The winning and the wooing of the pretty brides by their well-born and prominent lovers was in the old time-honored fashion and would furnish rich materials for the modern novelist.

It was in the glamor of ancient Egypt, at the Sargent villa in Helouan, near Cairo, that Miss Emily Sargent became acquainted with the Baron John Ludwig Knoop, who is not yet thirty years of age, while his bride is but twenty-three. That was three years ago. The attraction between the young couple was mutual, and the wedding to-day is the result of the long moonlit evenings which the couple spent together in the valley of the Nile.

Mr. Shaw and Miss Mitchell's fortunes became linked together at the wedding of Miss Alice Roosevelt and Congressman Nicholas Longworth. Though acquainted for several years, the intimacy being formed while Miss Mitchell was at Manchester-by-the-Sea with her parents during the summer months. Nothing apparently came of it, however, until the brilliant White House wedding. There, it is said, the fateful resolves were made to result in the ceremony of to-day.

Groom of Noted Family.

Miss Mitchell is a charming and accomplished young woman. She is an acknowledged social leader and she occupies an enviable position in the younger sets in Cincinnati, Washington and New York, where she makes her home when not at Manchester. Miss Mitchell made her debut in Washington two years ago, and has many friends in the exclusive diplomatic and presidential sets. She is very popular in Washington and was greatly admired there as well as at Palm Beach.

Mr. Shaw comes of a noted and wealthy family. He is one of the two sons of Mrs. Louis Agassiz Shaw, of Chestnut Hill, Brookline. He is a grandson of Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, and his aunts are Mrs. Carteret Fenno and Mrs. Harry Pratt McKean, of Philadelphia. His grandmother, Mrs. Shaw, is a daughter of the late Professor Louis Agassiz, the Swiss naturalist, and is one of Boston greatest philanthropists. She has supported for years the industrial training schools.

Mr. Shaw, whose brother is "Bobbie" Shaw, the well-known polo player, is a Harvard man and well known in club circles. He is a member of the Essex County Club of Manchester, and is frequently seen on the golf links. When he plays his scores nearly always appear near the head of the list, as he is an expert. Lately he has taken to automobiling.

REBELS ARE GAINING IN CUBA; GUERRA CUTS WIRES IN WEST

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ing will begin between the opposing forces. Guerra and his men are nearer Pinar del Rio, and Avalos has formed his men again and is marching to the aid of the State troops now defending that place. Avalos, it is believed, will try to flank Guerra's troops while the latter are engaging the garrison at Pinar del Rio.

President Palma and the members of the Cabinet are alarmed at the proportions assumed by the revolutionary movement. All the Cabinet members are in the palace with the president, but they are not so fearful of venturing out as is the executive. In a week the president has not been seen to leave the place.

The first authentic report of an uprising in Santa Clara province came last night, when the authorities announced that a detachment of rural guards had met and attacked a band of insurgents under the command of Colonel Manuel Gonzalez. The announcement says the rebels were dispersed, and that their arms were captured.

This is the first time that the authorities have been willing to admit that the insurrection is more than a sporadic affair, extending beyond Pinar del Rio and Havana provinces.

The people all over the island seem to be in sympathy with the insurgents. The arrest of General Miguel Gomez, leader of the Liberal party and candidate against Palma at the last elections for the presidency, has swept the flames of feeling to red heat.

Progress of Cuban Rebellion.

President Palma is a prisoner in the palace at Havana, fearful of assassination or kidnapping.

Rebel forces of 5,000 men under Guerra defeat State troops of 2,250 men near Pinar del Rio.

Battle expected to-day at Pinar del Rio. Guerra has about 7,000 men, and Colonel Avalos can command about 5,000 State troops.

Artillery forces capture town of San Juan de Martinez, taken by rebels under Guerra on Thursday.

Three recruits killed and six injured in skirmish with rebels at Guanes, outside Pinar del Rio.

Government is equipping fifteen steamers to carry troops and guns to all coast points.

Belief is expressed, and generally hoped for by loyal Cubans, that President Roosevelt will soon take action.

ACTIVITY IN WASHINGTON IS SIGNIFICANT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The attitude of the United States towards Cuba in the present critical situation in that republic is mystifying. Underlying the professed indifference, there are signs of activity in the State and War departments which may have bearing on the possible intervention of the United States under the provisions of the Platt amendment.

Robert L. Bacon, Assistant Secretary of State, left the department yesterday, and it was said he had gone to his home on Long Island. He lives at Westbury, and if he goes there it is likely he will also go to Oyster Bay. The Cuban situation is the only cloud now visible on the diplomatic horizon which would seem to require a consultation with the President.

General J. Franklin Bell, chief of staff of the army, has returned from his trip to Oyster Bay. Although it is insisted that he went there to talk to the President of the situation at Brownsville, Tex., where colored troops have been mistreated by white citizens, it is also thought that the situation in Cuba was also under consideration.

If the President wished to know how quickly a force could be thrown into Cuba and where it could operate to the best advantage, General Bell is the man he would naturally ask about it.

Another fact that is being recalled now is the fact that the Cuban government almost ever since it became independent has been flirting with England. The Anglo-Cuban commercial treaty, as it became known to the United States in the early stages of the negotiation, was considered an infringement of the rights of the United States under the Cuban reciprocity treaty. Frequent representations have been made by the United States to Cuba in regard to the Anglo-Cuban treaty. Cuba has been reminded more than once that the United States was entitled to special privileges in return for having set Cuba up in the government business.

ARREST BROOKLYN POLITICIAN AS A CUBAN FILIBUSTER

HAVANA, Aug. 25.—Michael J. Dady, a Brooklyn politician, was arrested in Cardenas yesterday by government forces. Mr. Dady, accompanied by an official of the Department of Public Works, was making certain tests on his dredging contract in Cardenas Bay.

The government forces thought them filibusters and arrested and detained them for some time, and then released them.

PITCHER FOR BOSTON.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 25.—The Daily News has announced the sale of Pitcher Clyde Goodwin of the Milwaukee Association ball team to the Boston American League club.

HOLD RUSSIAN COUNCILLOR FOR DIAMOND THEFT

Former Attache at Washington Accused of $12,000 Robbery in Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 25.—Alexander Greger, a Russian councillor of state and formerly minister plenipotentiary, was arrested at Brest yesterday on a charge of stealing a diamond ring valued at $12,000 from the Countess Du Porzic at the Chateau of Kersteurs, in Brittany, where M. Greger and his wife, who is of American birth, were the guests of the Count and Countess Du Porzic. Alexander Greger is well known in Paris, and some years ago was attached to the Russian legation at Washington.

The Countess Du Porzic had placed the ring, with some other jewels, on a piano in the salon of the chateau, the only persons present at the time being the Gregers and a servant. A police detective subsequently discovered the ring concealed in M. Greger's bottle of tooth powder.

The Gregors live in luxurious apartments in the Rue Pierre Charron, in Paris. They were formerly wealthy, but in the last few months are said to have been financially embarrassed because of the loss of property in Russia.

M. Gregor declares he is innocent of theft, saying that he must have put the ring in the tooth powder in a moment of inadvertency. His wife, when the ring was discovered, went into hysterics, exclaiming, "I, too, am innocent." M. Greger is kept in custody.

"RAILROAD OF LOVE" FIRST PLAY AT BIJOU

John Craig, who opens the Bijou Theatre on Labor Day as actor-manager, transferring his stock company there from the Globe Theatre, where it is now playing, has secured for his opening attraction "The Railroad of Love," made famous by the Augustin Daly company, with Ada Rehan, John Drew, Mr. Lewis and Mrs. Gilbert.

MISS CAHILL FORGETS WORDS OF HER SONG

NEW LONDON, Aug. 25.—Marie Cahill last night forgot the words of "Nancy Brown," a song she has sung 2,000 times. The audience at the Lyceum Theatre insisted upon her singing the old favorite and she did well with it until the second verse, when she had to be prompted.

BODYGUARD OF LOVE SYNDICATE CHIEF IN FIGHT

Mrs. Brown, Freed on Larceny Charge, Faces Numerous Civil Suits.

CLASH OUTSIDE COURT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Izella Brown, alias Mrs. James Wallace, alias Etta F. Brown, alias Sadie Mason, known to the police of three cities, former proprietor of a massage establishment, co-partner in the "Love Syndicate" at No. 323 West Eighty-second street, and acknowledged promoter of several fake companies, including the Kentucky Wood Alcohol Manufacturing Company, the Boston and Nova Scotia Coal Company and the Kentucky Coal and Timber Corporation, was discharged by Magistrate Crane in the West Side court yesterday afternoon after being arraigned on a charge of grand larceny. A receiver was also appointed during the day to take charge of her property.

Deluged with Suits.

As she left the court and entered a cab papers in a dozen civil actions were showered upon her. And when her butler bodyguard pushed aside one of the creditors he was promptly attacked and thoroughly thrashed before police detectives could interfere.

Mrs. Brown was arraigned on complaint of Abdulla Habeeb, a lace merchant, of No. 38 Greenwich street, who alleged that she had received goods from him valued at $300 and had only paid $75.

Mrs. Brown was represented by Charles O. Maas. Habeeb recited the conditions under which he had sold Mrs. Brown the laces.

"You take your oath that you only received $75?" Mr. Maas said.

"I swear it."

With a smile the lawyer handed a piece of paper to the magistrate. It was another receipt signed by Habeeb for $75. But when Habeeb saw it he turned white with rage.

Orders Her Release.

"It's a lie; a lie; a forgery," he shouted again and again. But Magistrate Crane refused to hear him through and ordered him to be silent.

"It's clearly the complainant's handwriting, was his only comment, and he discharged the prisoner.

Mrs. Brown, entering the cab with her daughter, was guarded by Allen and Maas. The former pushed Habeeb as he attempted to serve legal papers, and the merchant, angered at his defeat in court, struck the butler. Instantly the two clinched and Allen had both eyes blackened before he was rescued by detectives.

Doesn't Own a Watch.

In the morning Mrs. Brown was examined in supplementary proceedings instituted by Frank J. Welton of No. 2400 Broadway, who has for two years been trying to collect a judgment for $150. Walter B. Walker was appointed receiver. Mrs. Brown said she had no property, money or belongings of any kind. She said she hadn't even a watch.

B. H. ROBERTS SCORES SMOOT

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Aug. 25.—Brigham H. Roberts at a Democratic mass meeting made a speech denouncing Reed Smoot and his followers. He urged the incorporation into the Democratic State platform this year of the principles adopted at the reconvened Democratic State convention of 1895. This platform declared in strong terms against church influence in politics.

"I honor Mr. Smoot in his ecclesiastical position," said Roberts, "but if his claim to a seat in the United States Senate possesses intrinsic merit, he should retain it by reason of that intrinsic merit. If it does not he should be put out.

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ANCIENT RELICS FROM ALASKA AT WONDERLAND

People Buried In Ice and Snow Centuries Ago Perfectly Preserved; Experts Baffled.

EXPLORER'S STRANGE TALE

Relics of a prehistoric race, the remains of beings who lived years ago and died in snow and ice-bound Alaska are on exhibition at Wonderland. Scientifically, it is the most extraordinary display ever seen in or about Boston resorts, and because of the number of students and professors who have examined the exhibits the array is the more interesting. Many physicians and surgeons of New England have viewed the exhibits for scientific purposes and then have announced that they were still mystified.

Snow-bound Alaska.

From the snow-buried districts of Alaska, where the ice and cold prevented for years the passage of any white man, Captain Henry Le Belle of Quebec followed on through the frigid zone and found buried beneath the snow and ice the remains of these three that scientists announce compose the most important specimens of Arctic explorations.

La Belle wandered through the ice fields and through the snow-covered woodlands. For years he roamed over the primeval land, looking for gold or something that would repay for his long journey and the hardships.

Three thousand miles from Quebec La Belle found the remnants of the bodies and then brought them back to the United States.

Captain La Belle hurried through the various scenes at Wonderland last night. He was ever ready to tell all he knew of the startling relics shown to the guests.

Human Bodies Preserved.

"It was in the most frozen country that you could ever imagine," said he to a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN. "We were threatened by the sea and the winds, and when we crossed the Yukon we nearly gave up hope.

"I found three specimens of human bodies, buried under the snows, mummified as it were, by the strange climatic conditions. Subsequent investigations proved that they were of three distinct types, and this leads to the belief that persons other than Indians inhabited the New World long before Columbus discovered America."

History Beliefs Changed.

One of these is of a distinct Caucasian race, another bears all the indications of a Japanese woman, and still another resembles an Esquimau boy. Professors agree that the find will be of a great help to science and one that does much toward dispelling ideas of history as well as provoking newer beliefs.

Captain La Belle has extended an invitation to physicians and scientific students to come to Wonderland and investigate his exhibit. He is very desirous that students of these branches will take the opportunity of seeing these Arctic bodies and assist him in trying to solve the problem of pre-historic Alaska.

The City of Light.

The popularity of this "City by the Sea," in all its gorgeous display, its enchanting splendor, draws monster crowds. There is always something new at Wonderland, always something there to please the pleasure seekers. Whether on the chutes or seeing the spectacular "Fire and Flames" there is decided interest. The "Fatal Wedding," in all its realities and subtleties, attracts thousands. The band concerts add gayety to the pleasure round, and with each of the new surprises which the management furnishes daily there is ever an increasing satisfaction for a trip to this popular resort.

The strange story of a girl who married the man who murdered her own mother. The husband served ten years in prison for a crime committed when an infatuated boy, and becomes a suitor for the hand of his victim's daughter as soon as he regains liberty. To-morrow's SUNDAY AMERICAN.

BABY IN BARREL THROUGH QUAKE

VALPARAISO, Aug. 25.—In the debris of a house destroyed by the earthquake workmen yesterday found a child alive in a barrel, which had protected it from harm. The child was nearly starved, but will live. Its parents are believed to be dead.

About 10,000 workmen are employed in clearing away the ruins and in searching for bodies of those who lost their lives.

It is announced that the commercial houses and the banks will pay their employes their full month's wages, in order to assist them in their present hardships. The government will also pay its employes to-day.

In addition to the sums of money received here from various parts of Chili for the relief of earthquake sufferers, $35,000 has been received from San Francisco, Cal.

HEAVY LOSS IN ERRATIC BLAZE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—Half a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed last night in an erratic and spectacular fire on the lower West Side. The blaze swept one side of a block, from No. 7 to No. 27 West Fourth street.

Only the top floors of the factory buildings were burned out, the firemen pouring such a tremendous volume of water into the others that the flames were checked after a three-hour fight.

Adler & Ast, manufacturers of waists and importers of expensive theatrical costumes, were among the heavy losers.

MAY ASSESS 100 PER CENT.

Receiver Albert S. Apsey takes charge of the affairs of the defunct First National Bank of Chelsea to-day and it is said that one of his first moves will be to levy an assessment of 100 per cent. upon the stockholders.

SANFORD'S GINGER IS THE BEST. All others are cheap imitations substituted for gain, not health.

ENGLAND IN A RAGE AT ROOSEVELT SPELLING

Strenuous Blow at Mother Tongue is Resented in Its Birthplace.

Amid Chorus of Howls There Are Some Vioces That Praise.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—England is to the front to-day with a howl against President Roosevelt's radical spelling reform. While there is some objection the vivisection of the mother tongue as well as considerable praise of the reform, the complaint voiced on all sides is that President Roosevelt acted too suddenly and without taking his cousin John Bull into consultation, notwithstanding the fact that is was the latter who contributed the language that is being operated upon.

The strenuous tactics of the American President in knocking out with one blow the very backbone of the language is too much for conservative Englishmen who say that he has violated all the traditions and the sacred history of the language. They point to the slow evolution of the language to its present form and say that it is entitled to more feeling treatment.

Call It Carnegie Jargon.

Some of the newspapers deal with the subject humorously and poke fun at the President in unveiled language. The papers that take the matter seriously express little sympathy with what they term the "Carnegie jargon." The opinion is even expressed that scholarly and cultured Americans will refuse to accept the proposed changes.

The Standard declares that President Roosevelt overrates his powers if he believes he can carry through the reform in spelling and make the changes general.

The Chronicle has shown the most sympathy with some of the proposed changes. It says editorially: "Whether we like the new spelling or not, it probably will be forced upon us, because the United States is coming more and more into control of the printing presses of the English speaking world.

Should Have Been More Merciful.

"If President Roosevelt can establish uniformity of spelling in America on the lines he prescribes the ne wspelling wil be likey before long become dominant in Great Britain also, but as he is strong he might have been merciful and summoned an Anglo-American congress to endeavor to arrive at an agreement on a common mode of spelling so that the President's English and the King's English should be the same."

The Chronicle has started a symposium to learn what the sentiment of the scholars in all English-speaking communities, including the colonies, is toward the simplified spel ing. If this shows that majority of scholars really favor the phonetic spelling style the suggestion for an Anglo-American congress to revise the English orthography will probably be seriously advocated.

ALL WASHINGTON NOW A SPELLING BEE TO LEARN NEW STYLE

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 25.—President Roosevelt has issued orders, which take effect to-day, commanding Public Printer Stillings to "follow copy" in all messages that hereafter shall issue from the White House, and that the new manner of spelling shall be lived up to. The President has indorsed the Carnegie spelling reform movement, which is recommended by a committee headed by Brander Matthews, professor of English in Columbia University.

This committee has published a list of 300 words in which the spelling is reformed. This list contains such words as "thru" and "tho" as the spelling for "through" and "though." Many of the words are the same as are now in general use.

The President's official sanction of this reform movement is regarded as the most effective and speediest method of inaugurating the new system of spelling throughout the country.

Secretary Loeb has sent for the list of words which have been reformed, and upon its arrival will immediately order all correspondence of the President and of the executive force of the White House spelled in accordance therewith. Then he will get busy studying it.

As the spelling reform committee shall adopt new reforms they will be added to the President's list and also to that of the public printer.

While the order to the public printer does not contemplate an immediate reform in the spelling of official documents from the executive departments in Washington, it is more than likely that the respective heads of the departments will fall in line with the President's ideas.

120 NEW MEMBERS IN WAGE EARNERS' CLUB

One hundred and twenty new members were taken into the Wage Earners' Club of Ward 1, East Boston, at a meeting in Carpenters' Hall last night. There were several addresses by prominent labor men. It was voted to hold a mass meeting on August 30 in the same hall.

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"AW-I DONT CARE WOT DE PRESIDENT SEZ. ENUF IS ENUF AN ALWAYS WILL BE-"
"TROUBLES OF THE LOVER BUG
Deerist How sweetly we blusht when I kist you and you prest

NU SPELING EFECTS—AS SEEN BY AN ARTIST.

Offishul List ov Nu Speling

These are the principal words in the list aproved by President Roosevelt in the spelling reform. Many of the words are the same. Such words as "labour" and "harbour," the old English spelling, are not given as they are not generally used by Americans:

abridgment
accouter
accurst
acknowledgment
addrest
adz
affixt
altho
anapest
anemia
anesthesia
anesthetic
apothem
apprize
arbor
archeology
artizan
assize
ax
bans
bark
blest
blusht
brazen
brazier
bun
bur
caliber
caliper
carest
catalog
catechize
center
chapt
check
checker
chimera
civilize
clapt
claspt
clipt
clue
coeval
colter
commixt
comprest
comprize
confest
controller
coquet
criticize
cropt

crost
crusht
cue
curst
cutlas
cyclopedia
dactyl
dasht
decalog
defense
demagog
deposit
deprest
develop
dieresis
dike
dipt
discust
dispatch
distil
distrest
dolor
domicil
draft
dram
drest
dript
droopt
dropt
dulness
ecumenical
edile
egis
encyclopedia
envelop
Eolian
eon
eponym
epaulet
era
esophagus
esthetic
esthetics
estivate
ether
etiology
exorcize
exprest
fagot
fantasm
fantom
fantasy
fiber

fixt
fulfil
fulness
gage
gazel
gelatin
gild
gipsy
gloze
gript
glycerin
good-by
gram
harken
heapt
hematin
hiccup
hock
homeopathy
homonym
husht
hypotenuse
idolize
imprest
instil
jail
judgment
kist (not kissed)
lacrimal
lapt
lasht
leapt
legalize
license
licorice
liter
lodgment
lookt
lopt
luster
mama
maneuver
materialize
meager
medieval
meter
mist (not missed)
miter
mixt
mold
molder

molding
moldy
molt
mullen
naturalize
niter
nipt
ocher
offense
omelet
opprest
orthopedic
paleography
paleolithic
paleontology
paleozoic
parafin
partizan
past (not passed)
patronize
pedagog
pedobaptist
phenix
phenomenon
pigmy
plow
polyp
possest
practise
prefix
prenomen
prest
preterit
pretermit
primeval
profest
program
prolog
propt
pur
questor
quartet
quintet
rapt
raze
recognize
reconnoiter
rime
ript
saber
saltpeter
scepter

septet
sepulcher
sextet
silvan
simitar
sipt
skilful
sithe
skipt
slipt
smolder
snapt
somber
specter
stedfast
stept
stopt
strest
stript
subpena
suffixt
sulfate
sulfur
sumac
supprest
surprize
synonym
tapt
teazel
tenor
theater
tho
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72 DAYS have elapsed since the BOSTON AMERICAN filed with the Attorney-General a formal information and petition that he bring suit to force the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the Boston & Albany Railroad to obey the law and to abandon the competing trolley lines which they have illegally acquired.

The Attorney-General has delayed action until the New Haven road has disposed of its holdings secretly to a "voluntary association" organized by itself which is not subject to the control of the State Railroad Commissioners.

Why did the Attorney-General delay?

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MAYOR DEFIED LAW, PAUPER TRUSTEES SAY

Removed Long Island Officials Make Caustic Comment on Fitzgerald's Action.

CALL MR. ENGLISH UNFIT

Bernard J. Rothwell, business man and philanthropist, who was one of the trustees of the Pauper Institutions Department removed by Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, says he is willing to give the trustee's proofs of their side of the story to "a proper tribunal," but not "to a packed jury."

He adds that, if the Mayor can afford to hold himself in office and if the public can afford to hold him in office without a "proper inquiry" into the situation, then the trustees have nothing more to say.

These caustic comments from Mr. Rothwell were given out to the BOSTON AMERICAN, following the public letter, signed by Mr. Rothwell and three others of the six removed trustees, giving the trustees' side of the trouble at the Long Island almshouse and of their conflicts with Superintendent James F. English and the Mayor.

The other trustees who signed the open letter were Maud M. Rockwell, David D. Scannell, M. D., and W. Prentiss Parker. In it they declared that the removal of Superintendent English by the trutsees was justified and that the Mayor defied the law in interfering with the trustees. This letter was written by Mr. Rothwell himself. In his personal statement later to the BOSTON AMERICAN he said:

Says Can Give Proof.

"You ask what we shall do next. I answer, 'nothing.' We have made our statement. The proof of our statement will be given to the proper tribunal, if called for. I emphasize the word proper, because it will not be given to a packed jury.

"If the Mayor can afford to hold himself in office and if the public can afford to hold him in office, in view of these things without a proper inquiry into the facts and ethics of the situation, then I repeat, the members of the board of trustees have nothing more before them. Should the proof be desired we have it and the proper tribunal is welcome to all the facts in substantiation.

"We complained of Superintendent English because he was unfit. He refused, month after month, to do necessary things, and the Mayor upheld him. The current work of the institution was neglected by him, and certain specific things necessary to the administration he neglected and even refused to do.

"Would Not Explain.

"Again, any man in a position to expend upwards of $150,000 a year, as he was, should know what was wanted by the institution. He had no conception, even of current expenses. Thirty days after he had expended large sums, even larger sums than the place was accustomed to incur under the circumstances, Superintendent English could not give a reason for things he had done and for moneys put out. The trustees had to go to the books for such information. Even the records of illnesses and deaths were neglected, and surely, whether dying men are millionaires or paupers, their relatives have a right to know about their deaths and burials.

FROZEN OUT BY ICE TRUST

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Aug. 25.—Frozen out by the trust, the small dealers of this city and vicinity are closing up their business. The Walker Ice Company, of which Lewis G. White, president of the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' Association, is treasurer, is the only ice company in Worcester still able to supply ice to any extent. Its present price is 10 cents per 100 pounds, but it was announced yesterday that hereafter no ice will be sold to new customers except at fifty cents per 100 pounds. The company has absolute control of the situation, and it is predicted that as the season advances the price will soar higaer and higher.

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1901	3,000	Spinx S.	2:08¾
1902	3,000	Terrace Queen	2:06¼
1903	No Race.		
1904	No Race.		
1905		Allerson	2:05¼

BY EDWARD E. COGSWELL.

With the Neponset Stake of $3,000 for 2:06 class pacers, the 2:02 pace and the 2:18 trot, the windup of the first week of the Grand Circuit meeting at Readville this afternoon finds plenty of speed on the docket. Heats below 2:04 in the pacing events ought to be as common as are 2:10 horses in the "big line."

Not only will the horses fairly burn the track, but the list of starters conclusively shows the racing must be of the head and head sort with plenty of action in the finishes.

It has been the custom after a star day to find the following day dull enough to average the attractions of a race meeting, but Secretary Jewett has kept his word of making every day at Readville a headliner, with possibly having saved the best for the wind-up of the week. Certainly he has kept the fastest sidewheelers out of the limelight till the end.

Even though Ecstatic got a beating at Poughkeepsie, she is the best thought of for the Norfolk Stake. The record of the race is 2:04¾, held by Guinette in 1897. With Gratt, The Friend, Texas Rooker, etc., for opponents that record will pretty surely be a back number by this evening. It would not be surprising were the mark reduced a full second.

How can Angus Pointer fail to win the 2:02 pace? Those who have seen him win at Buffalo and Poughkeepsie declare it is unheard of, they counting he is a sure two-minute wiggler. Baron Grattan made him pace lively to get the coin last week and can always be considered a dangerous antagonist to go against. Tommy Murphy has elected to start Nervola instead of Locanda in the race. Then there is Eddie Rice's pet, John M., and the noted Maud Keswick. Experienced turfmen believe there will be heats in the contest around 2:02.

Billie H. cannot be overlooked in the

READVILLE STARTERS TO-DAY.

The Neponset, 2:06 Class, Pacing. $3,000, divided: $700 to first, $200 to second, $100 to third, each race.

BOLIVAR, b. g., by Wayland W.—Belle W., by Conn's Harry Wilkes. [illegible] view, N. Y.
CITATION, b. m., by Norvalson, dam by Strathmore. Dick McMahon, Chicago, [illegible]
ECSTATIC, b. m., by Oratorio—Ethelwyn, by Harold. F. R. Lang, Barton, Vt.
GEARY, b. g., by Five Points—Alice G., by Albion. D. A. McEwen, London, Ont.
GRATT, bl. h., by Grattan—Mollie Hicks, by Prompter. H. C. Spencer, Rock Hill, [illegible]
HAL CHAFFIN, b. h., by Brown Hal, dam by McEwen. E. F. Geers, Memphis, Tenn.
FERUNA, b. g., by Norfolk—Sylvia, by Civilization. L. B. Murphy, Columbus, O.
RED BIRD, b. h., by Chestnut Bird—Maud, by Longley. W. R. Cox, Manchester, N. H.
TEXAS ROOKER, b. g., by Texas Rooker, dam by Lexington. Peter B. Wood, [illegible]
THE FRIEND, bl. h., by Heir-at-Law—Winnifred Chimes, by Chimes. S. S. [illegible], Philadelphia, Pa.

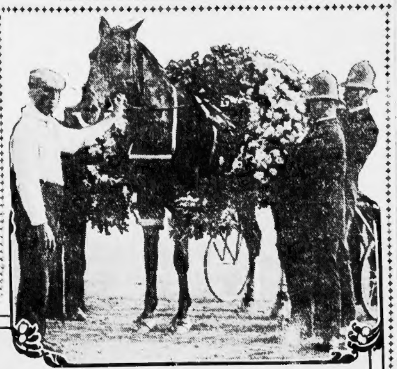
Second Race, $1,200, 2:02 Class, Pacing.

ANGUS POINTER, b. g., by Sidney Pointer—Jane, by Grant's Hambletonian. [illegible], Enfield, N. H.
BARON GRATTAN, b. g., by Grattan. E. F. Geers, Memphis, Tenn.
MAUD KESWICK, b. m., by Keswick—Dolly Tariff, by Tariff. H. H. James, [illegible]
JOHN M., b. g., by Paris. E. R. Rice, Boston, Mass.
NERVOLA, b. h., by Colbert—Nellie D., by Allie Gaines. Thos. W. Murphy, [illegible]

Third Race, $1,200, 2:18 Class, Trotting.

BILLIE H., b. g., by Knight, dam by Ezra. W. A. Clark, Jr., Butte, Mont.
BUDD, b. g., by Arena—Lady Star. James Carpenter, Readville.
COMPOSER, b. g., by Rubenstein—Lesa, by Clay. Oakhurst Farm, Whitinsville, Mass.
JESSIE BENYON, c. h., by Moko—Hattie Farris, by Jay Bird. Edward [illegible], Ky.
GRANCINO, bl. h., by Directum. Rose Hill Stable, Johnstown, N. Y.
INDIA, br. m., by Favora—Sylvia, by Jerome Eddy. J. M. Kilmer, Binghamton, N. Y.
RUTH C., gr. m., by Patron—Grenadine, by Harold. W. B. Chisholm, Cleveland, O.
SIR JOHN, br. h., by McKinney, dam by Altamont. Jack Curry, San Francisco, Cal.
THE PEER, bl. h., by Chimes—Grace Hamlin, by Mambrino King. McElwain Farm, West Springfield, Mass.
TOKIO, gr. g., by Bellini—Trixie Nutwood, by Nutwood. John H. Dickerson, Mamaroneck, N. Y.
TOM PHAIR, b. h., by Clay King—Sallie J., by Jay Bird. Charles Opdycke, [illegible], Pa.

NUTBOY, MASSACHUSETTS STAKE WINNER.



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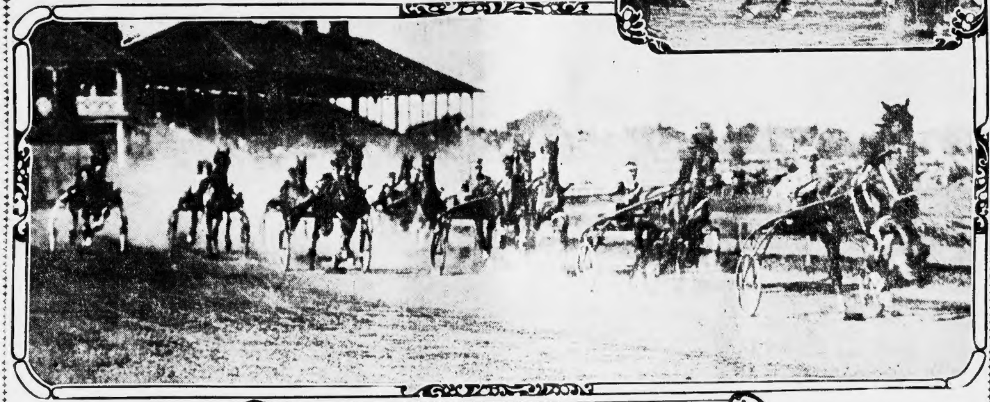

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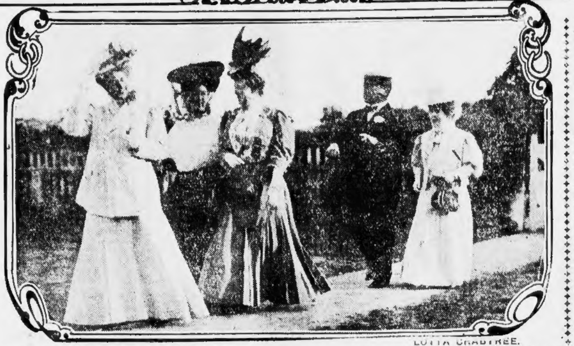
LOTTA CRABTREE.

Lotta Crabtree, the former actress, owner of Nutboy, the winner of the big stake race, leaving clubhouse with friends at end of the deciding heat.

GOOD-BYE GAME WITH RAVENS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	69	43	.616
Philadelphia	63	48	.568
New York	59	47	.557
Cleveland	60	48	.556
St. Louis	59	52	.532
Detroit	54	57	.486
Washington	42	67	.391
BOSTON	34	79	.301

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Boston—St. Louis, 7; Boston, 5.
At Philadelphia—Detroit-Philadelphia, rain.
At New York—Cleveland-New York, wet grounds.
At Washington—Washington-Chicago, rain.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

BOSTON vs. St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Washington.

Batting Order.

BOSTON.	ST. LOUIS.
Hayden, r.f.	Niles, 3b.
Parent, s.s.	Jones, 1b.
Stahl, c.f.	Stone, l.f.
Ferris, 2b.	Hemphill, c.f.
Hoey, l.f.	Wallace, s.s.
Grimshaw, 1b.	O'Brien, 2b.
Morgan, 3b.	Koehler, r.f.
Carrigan, c.	Spencer, c.
Dinneen, p.	Howell, p.

Jimmy Collins and his marksmen thank their lucky stars that to-day's appearance will be the last of the season for the Ravens. The latter certainly have eaten up everything the Pilgrims have had to offer and they are around to-day clamoring for another feed so as to fatten up their percentage of games won.

The Ravens certainly are ravenous when out on the diamond. They can't get anything too strong for their appetites, and they have already gobbled up the menus which Winter offered Thursday and Harris yesterday.

The Ravens don't care how badly they do up the poor Rathskellers. The Ravens are not discreet birds. They don't know when they have their fill, and they will keep after the Bostons until they get the third game of the series, and when the Boston cupboard is bare, they will leave for other parts to try their bill of fares.

The Ravens haven't had anything on the Bostons in batting since they struck town. In fielding they have not done a whit better, but it has been their base running, and their superior management in regard to taking a pitcher out of the box when he is batted hard that has won them the games already played.

The Pilgrims are doing real well with the bats, but their base running is poor. Some smashes that have been made by the Boston men would have gone for hits if made by the players on any other club. The men don't run out their hits, and when they do get to base they are unable to steal, which helps to keep down their score.

This afternoon the Pilgrims will make a desperate effort to win the final tussle with the Ravens. Bill Dinneen, who is twirling the best game of any member of the pitching staff of the Boston Americans, is down on the books to twirl. If Bill is in form, possibly the locals may take the last game.

Harry Howell, always a terror to the Boston batsmen, is scheduled to pitch for St. Louis. He is in rare form at this stage of the game, and will work hard to give his team the honor of winning three straight in the Hub.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

The Ravens have now won two straight.

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Sleepy work by Harris and Hayden was largely responsible for the defeat yesterday.

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Parent made a star catch of Koehler's fly in short left in the second. He caught the ball on the dead run with his back to the plate.

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Harris's double in the second was a hard soak to the left field bleachers.

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Every man on the Boston team went to the bat in the second.

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The Pilgrims had two men caught at the plate in the second.

NEW PLAYERS BOUGHT FOR PILGRIMS

It was announced last night that the Boston American club had purchased from Worcester club Joseph Knotts, catcher; Chester J. Chadbourne, outfielder, and Harry Lord, third baseman. These are the pick of the club.

Knotts is a very reliable catcher and last year did good service behind the bat for the Concord club, champions of New England League. He is twenty-two years old and hails from Greensboro, Penn. He started with the York, Pa., Y. M. C. A. team in 1903 and was with Chester, Penn., and Wilmington, Del., clubs in 1904.

Harry D. Lord is twenty-four years old. He played with Bates College in the Spring of 1904 and finished that season with the Portland club and continued with that team in 1905. He is a little fellow, but has been a sensation around the New England circuit this season.

HOUR GRIND AT REVERE TO-NIGHT

With Hugh MacLean back in form and riding against Elmer Collins and Menus Bedell at the Revere Beach track to-night in an hour race the beach oval will be an attractive spot for bike fans.

The three riders will have a fight all the way. Collins, the boy wonder behind pace, will endeavor to score a win over the veteran MacLean.

MacLean will ride his head off rather than suffer defeat at the hands of the youngster, but he knows that he has a hard job to subdue the Lynn flyer, who beat Will Stinson and Bedell a week ago in the same kind of a race.

Bedell would have made a better ride but for an unfortunate accident, and the regulars got a surprise at his speed. He will show up even better to-night and be a decided factor in the affair.

Many believe that Collins has championship timber in him, and his work against MacLean to-night will bring out his qualities and future prospects.

HERRERA AND KID GOODMAN ARE MATCHED

Aurelio Herrera and Kid Goodman will meet in the main bout at the Lincoln Club, Chelsea, on September 18. Paddy Minihan and Kid Goodman, who are now friendly again, and Jack Leonard had a conference and the match will be at catchweights. It should draw a tremendous crowd. Leonard suggested that a freak boxing carnival be held in conjunction with this bout and a bout with Joe Gregg, the Indian, and Joe Geary, Irish, and another Kid Pantz, Italian, and Frank Ah Chung, Chinese, are on the tabs. With a Mexican and a Hebrew in the main bout, it would be a programme of all nations.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

At Haverhill—Haverhill, 4; Lawrence, 2.
At Lynn—Lynn, 7; Manchester, 6.
At Worcester—Worcester, 2; Fall River, 1.
At New Bedford—New Bedford, 6; Lowell, 2.

TENNEYITES TO-DAY MEET THE SPUDS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	85	31	.733
New York	71	40	.640
Pittsburg	72	41	.637
Philadelphia	52	62	.456
Cincinnati	50	65	.435
Brooklyn	43	67	.391
St. Louis	43	72	.374
BOSTON	39	77	.336

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Boston, 1.
At Chicago—First game, Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 0. Second game, Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 3.
At Cincinnati—First game, Brooklyn, 6; Cincinnati, 4. Second game—Cincinnati, 1; Brooklyn, 0 (called seventh).
At Pittsburg—New York, 3; Pittsburg, 0.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Boston at Chicago.
New York at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

Batting Order.

BOSTON.	CHICAGO.
Dolan, 2b.	Slagle, c.f.
Tenney, 1b.	Sheckard, l.f.
Bates c.f.	Schulte, r.f.
Howard, s.s.	Chance, 1b.
Needham, 3b.	Steinfeldt, 3b.
Spencer, r.f.	Tinker, s.s.
O'Neil, c.	Everns, 2b.
Goode, l.f.	Moran, c.
Lindaman, p.	Pfeister p.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—A fine east wind was blowing off the lake this morning when the Eight Tenneys alighted from a train at the Illinois Central and ducked into a waiting transfer wagon to carry them to the West Side. On his way along the street Manager Tenney kept his eyes peeled for a likely looking ball player to ring in, in his series with the National leaders, which begins this afternoon.

'I'LL WHIP NELSON SURE'--GANS

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Aug. 25.—This town has now put into commission a sporting paper devoted entirely to news of the great fight which is to be held here on Labor Day, when Battling Nelson and Joe Gans will pummel each other to a finish for the lightweight championship of the world. The name of the paper is "The Nelson-Gans Sporting Bulletin," and is the first of its kind ever gotten up. It contains the daily news of the training of the two fighters, besides all local matters pertaining to the match.

The Sporting Bulletin is a very independent sheet. It is published as a result of the enterprise of the promoters of the big fight, and is supported by the advertisements of the local merchants, who are only too anxious to be represented in such an important daily paper. The latest issue contains a full history of the Battler's record, and an editorial statement indignantly denying the report of a fake fight, besides local notes. A front page "ad." admonishes the reader as follows:

"Don't forget Gans's headquarters at the Merchants' Hotel, Columbia, where visitors can see him train every afternoon up to the fight."

Among the interesting information which is imparted in the sheet is the selection of George Siler as referee and the fact that he had wired his acceptance and set $500 and expenses as the price of his services. The Tonopah & Goldfield Railroad is busy laying sidetracks sufficient to accommodate 200 Pullmans, in preparation for the horde of visitors who are expected to come here soon.

Gans has denied the report printed in some of the papers that he declared that he would knock Nelson out in two rounds. He says that he will bet his $10,000 end of the purse, or any part of it, that if there is a knockout or a knockdown in twenty rounds, he will be the one left standing.

"I will whip Nelson, no matter what the number of rounds," added Gans.

Altitude has eliminated the question of weight entirely from the fight. This place is 6,000 feet above the sea level, and the climate has had an altogether unexpected result on the weights of both Gans and Nelson. Almost from the moment they started training the figures kept going down. Gans had not intended to make 133 pounds until the morning of Labor Day. For that reason he devoted his training hours only to work that would strengthen his muscles and leave him in first-class shape. When he suddenly made 133 pounds a few days ago he was rather surprised.

Now, however, he has fallen still more in avoirdupois and only tips the scales at 132¼ pounds. The falling of his weight has in nowise weakened him. Nelson's training has been much heavier than that of Gans, and was calculated to reduce him to the required figures. Instead of 133 pounds, however, Nelson now weighs 130½ pounds, and the prospects are that he will not gain weight if he continues to train.

These changes have set an entirely different state of affairs before the sports. Neither Gans nor Nelson had foreseen the effect of the dry air at this altitude, and both conducted their training along lines that would only have been correct on the ocean level. Both men have found that the altitude has done for them, without effort and without ill effect, what it usually takes weeks of training to do. They have lost the extra pounds of flesh without knowing it. Everybody does that that comes here. There is a nominal difference of two or three pounds in the same man between 'Frisco and Goldfield. The ordinary man who comes to this place will lose ten or fifteen pounds, and won't know it unless he happens to weigh.

GANS-NELSON BOUT BY WIRE IN CHELSEA

The Lincoln Club is making strenuous efforts to select some bouts for the preliminaries to the grand finale between Honey Mellody and Joe Thomas on Labor Day. There is a probability of putting on Indian Joe Gregg and Joe Geary, and the first bout will excite all the East Boston fans.

The show promises to be one of the finest ever at Chelsea because in addition to the ordinary bouts for the night the Lincoln Club has made arrangements to get a direct wire from the Gans-Nelson show at Goldfield, Nev.

This show starts at 3:30 Western time, which makes it 7:30 in Boston. Mr. Murray, the manager of the Lincoln Club, has perfected arrangements so that the Western club will give his an exclusive wire service to Boston.

CARDINALS GET KELLEY.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 25.—The St. Louis National League Club has purchased the release of Outfielder Kelley of the Baltimore Eastern League team. He will not report to Manager McCloskey until next Spring.

LAWS PUZZLE MOTORISTS

BY J. C. KERRISON.

Rather an interesting and complicated situation arose on Thursday evening, with the Police Department and the rules governing the use of motor vehicles on the one hand and Fred Crittenden with his Premier on the other. Early Thursday afternoon Crittenden was stopped by a policeman on the ground that the car he was driving was not carrying the right numbers, namely other than those issued by the Highway Commissioners. About 7 o'clock that evening he drove another car to the door of his residence on Westland avenue and just as he alighted therefrom a policeman stepped up to him and said, "You can't drive that car. It has no numbers on the lamps."

"But the lamps are not lighted," said Crittenden.

"Well, if you drive that car without the lamp numbers I shall have to summons you into court," was the reply of the bluecoat.

"Then I won't drive it," was the rejoiner.

And so Crittenden, with remembrances of his afternoon experience green in his memory, decided to let the car remain there all night long. He had no other car to drive and so determined to turn in to bed. About an hour later he was called on the speaking tube and a voice from below said: "I am a police officer and I want this automobile moved off the street."

"If I drive the car I am threatened with arrest because it has no numbers on the lamps, and it will remain where it is until morning."

"If it is not removed I shall arrest you for blockading the street," came in a voice up the tube.

"I don't see but what I am due to be arrested either way, and as I have retired for the night I guess I will let the car stay where it is," said Crittenden, and back to bed he goes.

About ten o'clock there came a violent ringing of the door bell and "Crit" went to the tube and asked what was wanted.

"I am a police officer sent by headquarters to escort you and your car anywhere that you may desire to go," was the message sent up the tube.

"But," said "Crit," "I will get arrested if I drive that car, there is a policeman who has been waiting around the corner for an hour for me and I am not going to get in any trouble with the law."

"You come down and drive the car where you want and while I am with you your will not be arrested," said the officer.

"All right," said Crittenden, "I will be down as soon as I get dressed." It took Crittenden some time to find his clothing and then he walked down to the door and sure enough, there stood a policeman awaiting his arrival. The pair got in the runabout, Crittenden thereby gaining the distinction of being the first motorist in this section to be escorted by a policeman in order to prevent arrest for a violation of the rules and regulations governing the use of motor vehicles. It took but a few minutes for the car to reach the garage. There the police escort was very politely excused from further attendance upon his honored guest.

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George C. Reed is spending a few weeks' vacation at North Falmouth, where he can forget all the trouble and likewise pleasures of motoring.

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W. J. Gallagher, accompanied by T. J. Horrigan, W. M. Dwyer arrived in this from Sandy Hill, N. Y. The party is to continue its tour through Springfield, Bennington and Montreal, and thence back home. When the trip is completed the car will have travelled on this trip alone something like 1,100 miles.

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C. C. Hildebrand, sales manager of the Stevens-Duryea Company is spending a few days in this city.

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Adnah Neyhart, the well-known horse fancier of Framingham, who has owned and driven some blooded stock, has at last fallen victim to the motor germ, having recently purchased a Winton Model K.

M'GRAW WILL SUE PULLIAM AND UMPIRE

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 25.—Manager John J. McGraw, before leaving for Cincinnati, issued a signed statement of his attitude on the notice of his suspension being lifted by President Pulliam of the National League. In bitter words McGraw said the time of lifting his suspension is no surprise to him; that it was evidently the part of Pulliam to have him kept out of the games at both Chicago and Pittsburg. He accuses Pulliam of favoring these two clubs, and over his own signature declares that he will take both Pulliam and Umpire Johnstone into the civil courts as soon as the season is over.

In part, McGraw says: "For two weeks I have been walking in the rear of the grand stand and have seen the Giants lose games which should have been won. If we are out of the race for the pennant Pulliam is responsible. Pulliam and Johnstone will have to answer in court to me before I am through with them."

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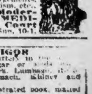

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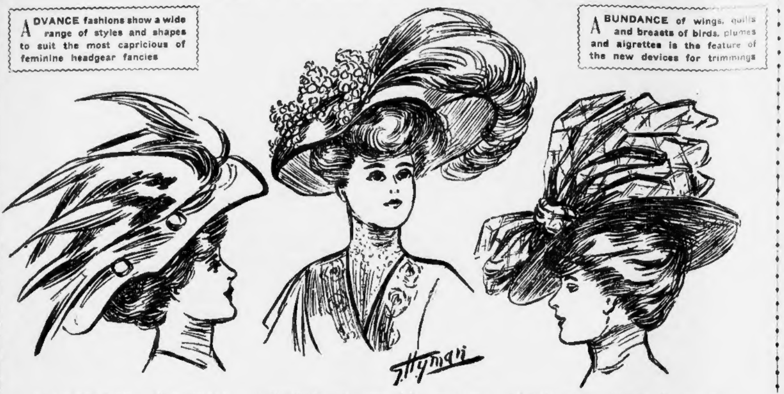
Boston American Daily Home Magazine

FICKLE FASHION RETURNS ONCE MORE TO THE PICTURE HAT FOR FALL WEAR

ADVANCE fashions show a wide range of styles and shapes to suit the most capricious of feminine headgear fancies

ABUNDANCE of wings, quills and breasts of birds, plumes and aigrettes is the feature of the new devices for trimmings



BLUE BEAVER WITH WINGS. WINE-RED VELVET WITH PLUMES. BROWN FELT WITH PLAID BOW.

Glimpses of Early Models That Give Excellent Ideas of Coming Styles.

FALL hats are already to the fore. There is sufficient diversity in millinery modes for the coming season to please even the most capricious woman, and whether her fancy be for large or small hats or those of medium size, she will find plenty to suit her taste.

While toques and turbans are still to be worn, the picture hat is much the favorite.

In place of the freakishly upturned brims of last Winter, the drooping or slightly tilted ones are shown. The brim drops usually over a high bandeau.

The centre hat of this group is one of the strikingly new picture hats. It is of wine-red velvet, the top almost entirely covered by a cluster of shaded bunches of velvet grapes, catching a large tinted plume.

The first model is a soft beaver felt in light blue, the crown well covered with white wings.

The third hat is in a rich brown tone trimmed with a smart bow of plaid ribbon.

Some general hints on what will be the latest in shape, color and trimming are as follows:

Colors are chiefly on the dark and somewhat sombre order.

Black is in full favor; browns are much liked, and the wine shades are very prominent, green likewise appears in a large number of excellent models, and blue appears in many shades.

Ribbons are used in quantities and in every imaginable weave. Buckles are large and of beautiful workmanship. Silk braids are used both for trimmings and for foundations, while malines remain indispensable.

Crowns are of the most varied character, but the small dome crown disappears with the small round hat. The draped crowns are in high favor, and the square crowns on the Gainsborough order, or lower and broader, are in good standing.

Perhaps the most notable thing in trimming is the abundance of wings, quills, breasts and birds, plumes and aigrettes of all sorts.

Flowers likewise appear in profusion, though roses are chiefly used. And such roses as appear this season surely never before grew out of nature's own garden. The half-blown rose, loose petalled, but never full blown, is the favorite, and these are used in all sizes, from small to extremely large.

People Soon Tire of Gushing Girls

WHO doesn't know the girl who gushes and gurgles? She thinks herself desperately fascinating, while other people think she is—well, they soon get tired of her.

At first they think it rather refreshing to come across a girl always so pleasant, and she flatters so much. But then, when everyone is flattered in the same way and it is overdone all round, it gets tiring.

The gushing girl spoils herself by overdoing the gushing business, and those who would like to be her friends are obliged to drop her.

Hearst's Boston American Pattern

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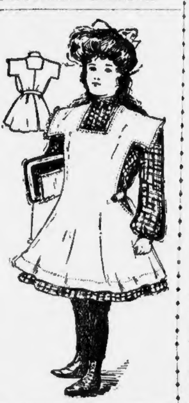

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Last Day to Write Your Letter in the Girls' Doll House Contest

Contest Closes at Midnight To-night; Winner Will Be Announced as Soon as Letters Are Read

GIRLS, to-day is your last chance to try and win the beautiful doll house which will be given for the best letter on how to keep house. If you have not written your letter, sit right down and get it in the mails before the day is over.

No letter mailed after midnight to-night will be considered in the awarding of the coveted prize.

It will take some days to read all the nice letters received from girls all over New England. The Doll House Editor is hard at work at them selecting the very best.

These will be submitted to competent judges, and the lucky winner will be announced just as soon as the very best letter is selected.

Letters from little girls will be printed every day until the winner is announced. So if your letter has not been published yet don't be discouraged. Watch for it. It may appear any day.

If you have not written your letter yet, be sure and mail it to-day. Take plenty of time about it. Remember—this is your last chance to try for the big doll house. You may win, even now.

You have read a great deal about the "Happy" family and Happy House. Lots of little girls have grown very fond of them and their beautiful home.

Wouldn't you love to have them for your very own? Of course you would.

Write how you would keep house. Would you be a good mother to your children? Would you keep your house as clean and neat as you could?

Be sure and follow the instructions.

Write neatly on one side of the paper. Do not write more than 100 words.

You know, dear little girls, it is very important that you should all grow up knowing all about the care of a household.

You must learn all you can while you are little and that will help you a great deal.

The child who writes the best letter will win the beautiful doll house.

It is such a beauty and the girl who wins it is going to have just heaps and heaps of fun with it.

Address your letters to the Doll House Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer Street, Boston.

This is a Photograph of Little Marjorie Happy of the Happy Family

Why Men Find It Hard to Propose

ONE of the chief causes of suffering in the world is the difficulty of proposing for marriage.

An unconfessed grievance that every married woman has against her husband is the way he proposed to her. She was probably glad enough to get him on any terms, but there is a difference between having the thing you want tendered you on a silver salver and having it thrown at you.

Women crowd the theatre to see the counterfeit of the romance they missed, yet how poorly even an actor generally does it.

It is only once in a blue moon that you find a stage hero of the old stock company type displaying the ardor that makes every woman in the audience sit up with a gasp.

Different Methods

Off the stage each man has his own individual system of love making, and reaches the critical point of proposing by his own route.

One of the most popular is by way of the confessional. When a man begins to get sentimental he yearns to tell a girl all about his past life. He confesses his own sins to her, and those of his friends.

Then he tells her that she is the only person who ever really understood his intense nature, and that he only needs her angel influence to enable him to lead the higher life.

The really bashful man who has made a study of the subject always proposes suddenly, and when you least expect it. He doesn't waste a word in preliminary compliments, because he has screwed his courage up to the sticking point, and he dare not let a turn of it go.

There is a silence, and then he catches his breath, and takes the plunge, as if he were jumping into a sea of ice and he didn't know and didn't care whether he ever came up again or not.

BRIGHT LETTERS FROM GIRLS

HERE are some of the best letters received yesterday from little girls who are trying hard to win "Happy House" and the "Happy" family; take plenty of time and see if you can write a better letter on housekeeping than the best of these:

WOULD SOAK CLOTHES

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I were grown up and keeping house, I would have a place for everything and everything in its place. Monday night I would put the clothes to soak, wash Tuesdays, iron Wednesday. Thursday would be visiting day. Fridays I would give all the rooms a good cleaning, and Saturdays do the baking. Sunday go to church.

EVA F. FELCH, 7 years.
No. 247 Main street, Malden.

GIRLS MUST HELP

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I would keep house very nicely. I would wash the piazza every day and sweep the chambers. I would tell the two big girl's to go up and make the beds at 9 o'clock, and be sure to air them. Then we would have dinner. I would have the children go to church. I'll teach them good manners.

MARJORIE LAKE, 8 years.
No. 254 Beacon street, Lowell.

WOULD HAVE FUN

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

If I was a lady, I would get up in the morning and get the breakfast, give the children a bath, make beds, wash the dishes, sweep, dust and make my house nice and clean. I would be strict, but kind, to my children, and every evening I would let them have a whole hour to play before putting them to bed. I hope I get the doll's house. I have three brothers and one sister. We could have lots of fun with it.

JANET NICKLES, 8 years.
No. 27 Waban street, Saugus.

WOULD PAY CASH

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

Monday I would wash and go to town and do my shopping; Tuesday, ironing and mending; Wednesday, wash windows, clean silver and do extra cooking; Thursday, do my sewing and go calling; Friday, sweeping and dusting; Saturday, go to the market, give my order and pay cash for everything and see what I was getting, come home and do my cooking and cleaning for Sunday.

FRANCES J. LOVE, 9 years.
No. 4295 Washington street, Roslindale.

GOOD TO POOR

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

Monday would be washing day, Tuesday ironing day, Wednesday I would take my children on a picnic, Thursday sew and mend, Friday would be sweeping day, Saturday I would bake and go to market and buy fresh vegetables, fruit and meat. I would give my children a good occupation, so when I am old they would be able to care for me. I would never promise them what I could not give them. I would teach them to be good to the poor and the old.

ELEANOR L. SHEPPARD, 8 years.
No. 3 Mason street, Hudson.

YOUNG MAN FIRST

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

To keep house, first, I would find a young man who was good and kind, because it would be lonesome to keep house all alone, and not have some one to cook for. I would want my home pretty and cosey, with a nice lawn and a large piazza all around. I would keep it clean, learn to cook good things, and teach my children how. I would have lots of company, then my children would always want to stay at home and love me. I would give them the best education I could, so they could help me.

RUTH SEARLES, 7 years.
No. 186 North street, Salem.

A HAPPY MOTHER

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

What a happy mother and housekeeper I would be if I owned this beautiful doll house with such a lovely family. I would feed my children on plain and healthy food and do my housework each week as any good housekeeper should do. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings I would do washing, ironing and mending. Thursday, Friday and Saturday I would sweep, dust and wash bare floors and bake. I would manage to have afternoons for going out or having callers. Sundays I would send my children to Sunday school and teach them to be polite.

LOUISE M. DEAN, ten years.
No. 7 Claybourne street, Dorchester.

MARY'S DAY OUT

DEAR DOLL EDITOR:

I would get up early in the morning, open the windows and air the bed, then make the fire and get breakfast; after breakfast the small children could go out to play, while the older ones helped me. My children would be polite and obedient and respect their elders. I would sweep, dust, and do the best I could to make my home happy. I would keep it neat and tidy. I would wash Monday, iron Tuesday, sew on Wednesday, receive callers on Thursday. Friday I would cook and it would be Mary's day out. Saturday I would clean house and go to market. Sunday we would all go to church.

LILLIAN ROSBOROUGH, 12 years;
No. 30 Woodlawn avenue, Mattapan.

"SHADOWS OF NEW YORK"

CHAPTER XCV.—Continued

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"I BELIEVE it was Zingara's husband that was really your reason—that you were afraid of his seeing too much of me when you were in love with him yourself!" and Freda gave a low, malicious laugh.

Olga crimsoned at the words.

"You are speaking nonsense," she said, quietly, "and I want you to hurry with your story."

There was a roar of an approaching train; the other occupants of the waiting room went out, leaving them alone, to Olga's relief.

"Well, I ran down and mailed your letter; then I thought I would slip up to Zingara's room. I was going up the stairs when a queer thing happened.

"The door of the Marchs' flat was thrown open, and a man rushed out in ever such a hurry, not even troubling in his haste to shut the door after him. He must have been wearing rubber-soled shoes, I think, for his feet made no sound on the stairs.

"He was so excited, and he didn't seem to see me at first, as I came up the stairs. The instant he caught sight of me he put up his hand quickly and turned out the gas in the little wire cage—you remember, Olga, half way down that flight of stairs—as if afraid of being seen, and rushed down into the street."

"But you saw his face before he turned the gas down?" demanded Olga, breathlessly.

The Murderer

If Freda was, as he believed, speaking the truth, light was being thrown on the mystery at last; it gave her hope that her innocence and that of John March might be proved.

"Yes, I should know him again anywhere," said Freda. "I didn't like his face; it frightened me, the look in it. At last I felt half afraid of going up to Zingara's rooms; it seemed so funny, the man coming out in that way. But I thought that perhaps he and Zingara had had a quarrel, nothing else; so I went up."

The train by the platform gave a whistle and moved out of the station; some passengers passed on their way to the stairs, but no one remained in the room to interrupt the story that Olga was listening to breathlessly.

Her liberty might hang on what Freda was telling.

"Did I tell you the door of the Marchs' flat was open? The man who ran out was in such a hurry that he didn't attempt to close it."

This girl of shallow emotions had already forgotten her fear; there was almost a touch of importance in her manner as she unfolded the dramatic story; the consciousness that in her hands lay the key to the mystery that had filled the newspapers at the time gratified her vanity.

"I knocked with my knuckles on the door, but no one answered, so I went into the hall and cried, 'Mrs. March!' I thought it funny she did not answer, for I was sure she was in the flat, and I saw a light in her bedroom.

"I walked toward it, calling again, 'Mrs. March!' Just as I reached the door I saw something lying on the threshold, a queer-shaped knife, with such a pretty handle, and oh, Olga, the loveliest red stone glittering at the end of the handle! I picked it up, and then I saw that the steel blade was stained red. Oh, it was horrible, that!"

And a little shuddering spasm ran through her at the recollection.

"I dropped it instantly, and then I saw just inside the room Zingara lying on the floor, looking as if she were asleep; you wouldn't have thought from her face that she was dead, Olga, only that dagger had—but I don't like to think of that bright blade, all stained. It frightens me even now, when I remember it!" cried Freda, shuddering, as though the one touch of horror that the scene had impressed upon her had been that curiously shaped stiletto with the gleaming red stone set in the hilt.

Mystery Solved

Outside, one or two people were walking up and down the long platform; the Summer day was so fresh and pleasant that no one intruded on their privacy in the waiting room.

Evidently the man whom Freda had noticed in New Rochelle Station had not been waiting for the train that had just steamed out, for he was still on the platform walking up and down, glancing carelessly in at the window as he passed.

But Olga's attention was so rivetted she did not notice him.

"On the floor close by Zingara was lying that necklace——"

"That you hid it in your room and was found by the police?" said Olga quickly.

"Yes," admitted Freda. "It was lying there, with one or two of the stones broken and the setting crushed, as though it had been trodden on—and on the dressing table were some other things."

For a second Freda paused, stealing a nervous furtive glance at her sister's face; then she cried:

"Olga, the woman they had belonged to was dead, and I have always been so fond of beautiful things—beautiful jewels, and they suit me. Why, Zingara herself once said I looked as pretty as a dream with diamonds round my throat. So I took them—I couldn't resist it. I'm sure Zingara wouldn't have minded; she always liked me!" cried Freda, guiltily conscious of the look in her sister's face, hard with its expression of contemptuous scorn.

A Family Taint

"My father is a thief, my sister is a thief!" Olga Vail was thinking bitterly. "There's a taint on us Desmonds, a moral taint! Perhaps it will some day come out in me, too!"

"Is it worth while trying to justify yourself?" she said in a hard voice. "You sold yourself for those tawdry trinkets—you sold your sister's happiness—and now you try to justify yourself?"

Never in her thoughts had she felt so bitter toward Freda before. Even a child should have some instinctive sense of honesty and honor.

"Why shouldn't I have pretty things to wear as well as other people?" said Freda defiantly. "It wasn't like stealing, since Zingara was dead. I felt that when I took them. I put out the gas in the room, and I stole out, shutting the door after me. It was quite dark on the stairs.

"Just as I shut the door I heard a voice speak; I couldn't see who it was. Some one said, 'Is that you, Zingara?' It frightened me. I ran as hard as I could down the stairs to our flat."

The Same Man

"You'd gone out, but you'd left the door ajar. I ran in and hid the necklace quickly. Then the thought came to me that I might be followed, so I ran out again and down into the street."

"But the man you saw on the stairs—the first man, I mean, who turned out the light. What was he like? You say you would know him again?" Olga cried.

"I should know him anywhere. Why, I've seen him since then," Freda told her.

"Where?" Olga's voice was very eager.

"Outside the old flathouse. Wasn't it funny his going there, Olga, because I am sure it was he who killed poor Zingara," cried Freda. "I found it so slow in New Rochelle that one day I got on a train and rode to the Grand Central.

"I walked down Fifth avenue and back—the stores there are so lovely—and then I thought I'd go and look at the place where we used to live.

"And I saw the man there, standing in front of the flathouse looking up at the windows with such a queer look in his face, just as though he had been drawn there because he couldn't help himself. I was reading in a book of Mr. Bywater's that a murderer is always drawn back, in spite of himself, to the place of his crime——"

"You are sure that it was the same man?"

"Of course, I recognized him the moment I saw him. And he recognized me, too, for he looked quite scared, Olga, when he saw me. He must have been startled, for he turned and ran, just when I was thinking of running away myself. Now I've told you everything."

"If only you hadn't told it so late!" broke out Olga. "Did it never strike you, Freda, when I was arrested—your sister, whom you knew to be innocent—that, if you had told to the police what you have told me now, I might have been spared the humiliation and pain?"

Freda looked surprised at the question.

"Why, of course, I couldn't tell! I should have had to say that I took the jewels—and they put father in prison for stealing jewels, didn't they? Of course, I dared not speak. And I knew it would all come right some day," she added calmly. Her justification of a silence that might have broken two lives.

TO BE CONTINUED.

WOMEN SHOPPERS CAMP ON TRAIL OF CAMERA MAN

Three Snapshots Were Identified Yesterday, and Three Lucky Women Received Prizes.

WOMEN shoppers whose pictures have appeared recently, and others who thought the printed pictures were theirs, got very, very busy yesterday.

No less than twelve women called at the BOSTON AMERICAN office to identify their photographs. Nine of them confessed they were wrong when they got a glimpse of the original snapshot, and good naturedly withdrew.

Three busy women shoppers received prizes of $2 each—the daily award. The first was Miss Mary F. Starke of No. 240 Baker street, West Roxbury—the original of the snapshot in Thursday's paper.

This photo, by the way, proved one of the most popular ever printed. There were no less than six claimants. But the original photograph convinced five they were mistaken. The snapshot was caught near the main entrance to Jordan Marsh's.

Miss Helen C. Gilman of No. 9 Pearl street, Dorchester, identified her photo printed Friday, August 10. The snapshot was taken the previous day near R. H. White's.

The photograph in last Saturday's paper was identified by Annie M. Coyle of No. 35 Pleasant street, Winthrop. The Camera Man caught her as she stepped out of Starr's on Winter street.

Watch out for the Camera Man when you go shopping. He may get YOU any day. When he does call and get your reward of $2.

The original of this snapshot will receive a reward of $2.

Hard Water Will Ruin the Finest of Complexions

Half the complexions in Boston, according to authorities, are ruined by the use of hard water; it destroys all beauty and delicacy of skin and is responsible to a much larger extent than late hours and crowded rooms for the premature appearance of old age.

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Where the Suwanee River Winds Its Silvery Way.
I Long to See You Once Again.
A Nice Little Girl. (Catchy waltz song.)
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At the Post March.
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Policy Pete Cakewalk. (Big hit.)
La Sevilla March. (Latest Parisian craze.)
Dainty Rosebuds. (A daintiette.)
Drifting Leaves Reverie. (By the composed of "Star of the Sea.")
The Jolly Blacksmith March and Two-Step. (By E. T. Paull.)

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THE EVER-GROWING CRAZE FOR JEWELS CAUSES NEW FASHIONS WHAT THEY ARE DESCRIBED IN THE BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN

DEATH MAY ROB CAPT. APPLETON OF BRIDE FOR WHOM HE DIVORCED WIFE

MISS EDITH R. WILLS.
MARCEAU PHOTO.

CAPTAIN NATHAN APPLETON

DYING MILLIONAIRE AND HIS FIANCEE.

Had Fondly Looked Forward to Wedding Miss Wills as Soon as Law Had Made Him Free.

Is death going to rob Captain Nathan Appleton, author, traveler, clubman and man of affairs, of the bride for whom, on July 3, he secured a divorce from his wife of eighteen years? In six months from that time he would be at liberty to wed "his affinity," Miss Edith Russell Wills, of Newburyport.

Stricken two weeks ago he now lies critically ill in his apartments in the Hotel Nottingham, and his death is expected to occur in a very short time.

On November 16, 1887, Captain Appleton was married in New York to his second wife, Jeanette Maria Orington, daughter of Edward J. Orington of Brooklyn. Their wedding attracted world wide attention and was the most brilliant social event of the season. Rev. Edward Everett Hale of this city, now chaplain of the National Senate, performed the ceremony.

Separated in a Year.

Scarcely a year after the marriage the friends of the couple were thunderstruck to learn that they had separated. A little later there came another sensation, when Colonel Henry Clay Parsons, of Natural Bridge, Va., appealed to the police to rescue his beautiful daughter from Mrs. Appleton, declaring that the woman had hypnotized the girl and was keeping her against her wishes. But in vain, for the girl refused to leave her friend.

From the time he and his wife separated, Captain Appleton lived on, a lonely man, so far as his home was concerned. And, although he had many friends, and his life was full of activities, he felt the need of the companionship of a woman.

Ten years ago he met Miss Wills at Newburyport. Their acquaintance ripened, as he saw her occasionally, but it was not until the time of the Russo-Japanese peace conference at Portsmouth that their promised to be anything more to their friendship.

Began at Portsmouth.

At the time of the peace conference, Captain Appleton was in Portsmouth gathering material for his latest book. There he chanced to meet Miss Mills. He told her of the book which he was preparing and she generously offered to assist in getting it up. That was the beginning. Friendship ripened on his part to a deeper feeling and on hers to an appreciation of the pleasure she enjoyed in his companionship.

Early in December Captain Appleton announced his intention of suing the wife from whom he had been separated for eighteen years for divorce, and told his friends of his hope, when free, to wed Miss Wills.

In March he began his suit. Mrs. Appleton had engaged counsel and had declared her intention of contesting the case, but in the end she did not do so. The decree nisi was granted July 3. On July 12 Captain Appleton made the formal announcement of his engagement to Miss Wills. He said:

"Miss Willis and I have been engaged for some time, but thought it best to make no formal announcement of it at once. We have not as yet settled upon any definite date for the wedding, but, for my part, it can't come too soon to suit me. I will have to wait five months more anyway before I can marry again. Of course, the waiting is hard, but such is the law."

Under Higher Law.

And now a higher law, the law of life and death, may forbid that the marriage ever take place.

Captain Appleton's health has been somewhat impaired for several months past. Although but sixty-three years of age, his life has been one of arduous exertion, and despite a rugged constitution, his advancing age had manifested itself in a diminution of his activity in the past year or two. Some five weeks ago he was confined to his room by an attack which his friends believed to be a return of an illness which he contracted when he was on the Isthmus of Panama with De Lesseps. He rallied slightly and was seen about the hotel lobby frequently.

Miss Wills, accompanied by her mother, was an occasional visitor to her fiance, and Captain Appleton early in the present month spoke cheerily about his coming marriage, which he expected would take place about the first of next year. He said that after the wedding he expected to travel with his bride in Europe.

So serious did Captain Appleton's condition become yesterday that his sister, Mrs. L. Curtis, his niece and other members of his family were constantly at his bedside. Captain Appleton has been attended by his physician, Dr. Prosper Bender, and a nurse for the past week.

It was reported at the Hotel Nottingham early to-day that Captain Appleton was resting as well as could be expected.

TAMMANY CLUB, ALL FOR MORAN, IN BIG POWWOW

Ward 17 "Unterrified" Enjoy Their Annual Outing at New Downer Landing.

The unterrified Tammanyites of Ward 17 are holding their annual pow wow to-day at New Downer Landing. From 10 o'clock this morning until 10 to-night the Club braves are in force at the outing.

Last night the organization indorsed the candidacy of John B. Moran for the Democratic nomination for Governor, and to-day members are distributing at the Landing and all along the line the Moran campaign buttons. They received a supply of 25,000 and orders were given the braves to dispose of every one of them. A big delegation made the first trip to the landing and the outing crowd was augmented on every trip of the boat.

Timothy Wilfred Coakley makes the principal speech to the Tammanyites and sounds the striking keynotes of the Moran stumping campaign. Other features of the programme for the day are a baseball game between the Brockton shoemakers and the Fore River shipbuilders, a balloon ascension by M'lle. Larne, running track events and a fireman's muster in which [illegible] tubs have been entered.

DEATH NOTICES.

BATTIS—At Orient Heights, East Boston, Aug. 22, Josiah S. Battis, 71 yrs. 9 mos. 8 ds. Funeral from his late residence, 194 Leyden st., Orient Heights, Friday, at 3 p. m. Interment at Duxbury Saturday. Friends and relatives are requested to attend without further notice.

BLEILER—In Roxbury, Aug. 23, Munroe F., beloved child of Francis M. and Eva J. Bleiler (nee Fitts). Funeral from parents' residence, 112 Heath st., Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

BURKE—In Malden, Aug. 23, Annie (nee Whalen), beloved wife of Stephen Burke, 24 yrs. Funeral from her late residence, 20 Sterling st., Sunday, Aug. 26, at 1:30 p. m. Services at the Immaculate Conception Church at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend.

CASHMAN—In Roxbury, Aug. 23, Edward C., beloved son of John and Bridget Cashman (nee O'Malley), 7 mos. 15 ds. Funeral from late residence, 20 Dana pl., Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DUNN—In Charlestown, Aug. 24, Joseph E., beloved son of Joseph E. and Leora J. Dunn (nee Leary). Funeral from residence, 29 Parker st., Somerville, Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2:30 p. m., thence to Malden for interment. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

DONOVAN—In Charlestown, Aug. 23, William, beloved child of William J. and Ellen Donovan (nee Clohessey), 1 yr. 4 mos. Funeral from parents' residence, 103 Bartlett st., Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

DOWLING—In this city, Aug. 23, Bridget, wife of the late William Dowling (nee Sweeny). Funeral from 75 Albany st., Sunday, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. James's Church at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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DEATH NOTICES.

LEAHY—In Roxbury, Aug. 23, Marie F., beloved daughter of Edward F. and Mary Leahy (nee Maguire), 4 yrs. 7 mos. Funeral from late residence, 15 Kent st., Saturday, Aug. 25. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

MANNING—In this city, William F., beloved husband of Annie Manning (nee Leighton). Funeral from his late residence, 1 Irving pl., Sunday, Aug. 26, at 1:30 p. m. Services at St. John the Evangelist's Church, Bowdoin st., at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Worcester, Mass., and Philadelphia papers please copy.

MESSER—In this city, Aug. 23, Almond B. Messer, 60 yrs. Funeral services at his late residence, 3 Goldsmith pl., Sunday, Aug. 26, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

SAUNDERS—In this city, at her late residence, 41 Lawrence st., Aug. 23, Esther Saunders. Funeral Sunday, Aug. 26, from Mishkan Tefila Synagogue, corner Shawmut av. and Madison st. Services at 11 o'clock a. m. Burial at Montvale, Woburn. New York and Brooklyn papers please copy.

TISDALE—In this city, Aug. 23, Albert E. Tisdale, 53 yrs. Funeral services at the chapel, Forest Hill Crematory, Walkhill st., Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

WELLINGTON—In Pepperell, Aug. 23, Walter Wellington of Lexington, 84 yrs. 8 mos. Funeral from his late residence in East Lexington, Saturday, Aug. 25, at 2:30 p. m. Train leaves North Union Station for Pierces Bridge station at 1:47 p. m.

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LEGAL AND PUBLIC NOTICES.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Charles River Basin Commission. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Charles River Basin Commission, 367 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., until 2:30 o'clock p. m. Monday, September 10, 1906, for building Section 3 of the Boston Marginal Conduit and Section 1 of the Boston Embankment, requiring about 300,000 cu. yds. of earth fill, 200,000 lin. ft. of piles, 6,300 cu. yds. of concrete masonry and 900 cu. yds. of stone masonry. The embankment will be made along the Boston side of the Charles River between the Cambridge bridge and Berkeley street, a distance of about 2,700 feet, and will vary in width from 100 to 300 feet. Pamphlets containing further information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract and specifications will be ready about August 27, and will be mailed to contractors who apply to the Chief Engineer, or may be obtained at his office, No. 367 Boylston street, Boston, where also plans may be seen. The printed form must be used in making proposals. The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to accept the proposal deemed best for the Commonwealth. HENRY S. PRITCHETT, Chairman, HENRY D. YERXA, JOSHUA B. HOLDEN, Charles River Basin Commission. HIRAM A. MILLER, Chief Engineer. WILLIAM S. YOUNGMAN, Secretary.

IF YOU ARE IN TROUBLE consult us on law and domestic relations; advice free. 43 Tremont st., room 312.

LOST AND FOUND.

LIBERAL REWARD for return of alligator bag with contents, taken by mistake from train leaving Boston for Springfield at 4 p. m. Thursday. Communicate with F. A. B. STANTON, Mass. Mutual Life Ins. Co., 31 Milk st., Boston; telephone Main 3400.

LOST—Between 4 Union park or 82 W. Brookline st., or about 641 Tremont, a black beaded bag, containing a purse with some change, 2 keys and a button book. Return and receive reward at 4 Union park. MRS. ANDERSON.

LOST—Either on 8:12 train from Weymouth or near South station, a black leather pocketbook. Return to E. C. JOHNSON, 171 Smynes st., Boston.

WANTED.

ICE WANTED

ANYONE having first-class ice for sale in car load lots in railroad distance from Worcester, may find a customer by applying to WALKER ICE CO., 25 Exchange st., Worcester, Mass.

CITY OF BOSTON.

THE CITY ENGINEER of Boston invites bids for Paving and Regulating Maverick street, Orleans street and Everett street, East Boston, and giving bond of a surety company in $8,000. Only bids obtained at his office, City Hall, signed by bidder and there left before 12 M. of Thursday, Sept. 6, 1906, with a certified check for $500, payable to and to be the property of the city if the bid is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The city engineer reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to give preference to bidders paying the trades unions' rate of wages. The bid should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Bid for Paving and Regulating Maverick street, Orleans street and Everett street, East Boston." WILLIAM JACKSON, City Engineer. Boston, August 24, 1906.

Where to Dine

HOTEL [illegible], 2,164-66-68 Washington st.—Table d'hote dinner, 11:30 to 8, 25 cents. Private dining rooms a la carte.

TOMFOHRDE'S ladies and gents' restaurant, 45 to 51 Court st., Boston, opp. Old Court House.

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$2 To Cure Private Disease. A cure guaranteed or money refunded. I cure Blood Poison and all private diseases of men and women. I will restore lost vigor in young or old. Free consultation. Hours 10 to 6; Sun., 3 to 5. DR. HAYDEN Medical Co., 88 Boylston St.

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BABY CARRIAGES, go-carts, wheels re-tired, carriage parts, carriages repaired, parasols, lace covers. Write for price list or tel. Hay 571. W. J. REILLY & CO., 95 Portland st.

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Kranich & Bach	$75.00
Briggs Upright	65.00
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Ivers & Pond	105.00
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The lot of pianos must and will be sold at the Roxbury Storage Salesrooms to settle up unpaid accounts; nearly every Standard make on hand, Ivers & Pond, Hallet & Davis, Chickering and Merrill, are in mahogany and walnut cases, 3 pedals and in first-class condition; two pianos for one; reasons why, expenses in Roxbury hardly noticed; expenses in Boston, $200 to $500 daily. [illegible] every make to select from; good uprights $40, $50, $60, $65 and $75; square $10, $15 and $20; why pay more? Several new pianos, the stock of a first-class piano maker gone out of business, which will be sold at a sacrifice; don't fail to call and secure one; greatest chance ever offered; the canvasser, agent and music teacher will tell you to keep away from us, reason why, we don't pay commissions, you get the benefit by our low prices, see for yourself, examine our nice stock.

The gilded piano stores, with their costly appointments, their high-salaried sales agents, their sellers' commissions, etc., are no place for the economical piano buyer to go. Take the trouble to look around a little, go up where the rents are not so high and buy your piano right.

Why pay $200 more for a piano because it is on a polished floor? See us, nearly every make in stock, at the lowest possible prices and on very easy terms; 10 years' guarantee, stool and scarf with every piano; free delivery everywhere in unmarked wagons; goods guaranteed as represented or money refunded; [illegible] see the red flag; sale positive all the week; open Sat. eve. till 9 P. M. ROXBURY STORAGE SALESROOMS, 725 Shawmut av., Roxbury; any Washington st. car to cor. Williams st.

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211 TREMONT ST. Eastern representatives for Krakauer, Packard, Lester and Hobart M. Cable pianos. We are upstairs and under low expense; see us before you buy. LINCOLN & PARKER, 211 Tremont st., opp. Hotel Touraine, one flight.

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ONE CENT A WORD.

[illegible] LIST of refrigerators, stoves, ranges, furnaces, showcases, counters, desks, safes, etc., in this column every Saturday; two stores, 99 Blackstone and 53 Hanover sts.

FOUR SAFES, 3 cash registers, 2 soda fountains. ALBEE'S, 99 Blackstone.

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INQUIRE OF US for anything you need to fit up any kind of a store, four telephones to receive and answer your inquiries. ALBEE'S, 99 Blackstone and 53 Hanover.

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A STRONG, able-bodied colored man, strictly temperate, honest, kind and obliging and of Southern birth, willing to work, would like job of any kind. Address S. B. CRAWFORD, 222 Columbia st., Cambridge, care of Mrs. Webster.

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DRESS SUIT CASES and bags at special prices on account of removal next month; trunks, bags and suit cases must be sold to save expense of moving. CUMMINGS TRUNK FACTORY, 67 Kingston st.

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Purposes of the Independence League

Every INDEPENDENT, Thinking Citizen Will Indorse Them

The Independence League of New York City, **TYPICAL OF THE PROTEST AGAINST CORRUPTION ALL OVER THE COUNTRY,** has issued to the voters of the State and of the nation an address which we shall condense for our readers.

We ask the thinking, **INDEPENDENT** man to read this summary of principles and then say whether he can fail to support a political movement which represents **HIM AND ALL OTHERS ACTUALLY INTERESTED IN JUST GOVERNMENT BY MEN, IN PLACE OF UNJUST GOVERNMENT BY MONEY.**

The people of this nation, from one ocean to the other, feel that the time has come **TO STOP PIRATICAL GOVERNMENT BY CRIMINAL ORGANIZATIONS OF CAPITAL.**

The people propose to resume governing the country **FOR THE MAJORITY BY THE MAJORITY OF VOTES,** and to stop the present system inaugurated by criminal plutocracy, served by conscienceless bosses.

The people realize that the purpose of our form of government is the accumulation of enormous fortunes, through special privileges, at the expense of the many.

The people are determined that their representatives shall cease the selling of public property to private plutocrats **AND THE SELLING OF THE PUBLIC GOVERNMENT WITH PUBLIC FRANCHISES.**

The election in New York City last year proved **THAT THOSE THAT HAVE SEIZED UPON THE GOVERNMENT, IN THE NAME OF MONEY, DO NOT PROPOSE TO ALLOW THE VOTES OF THE PEOPLE TO BE COUNTED.**

They showed in that election that, when necessary, they would refuse to count the public's votes rather than give up their absolute control of government machinery AND OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE.

The one determination in the minds of citizens to-day is **THAT THEIR VOTES SHALL BE COUNTED.** And the Independence League, organized seven months ago in the State of New York and within the past month in Massachusetts, will be organized throughout every State and county in the nation, if necessary, to put a stop to the present boast of organized criminal capital that **THE BALLOT-BOX SHALL NOT INTERFERE WITH ITS PLANS.**

Those who own the political bosses of both parties believe that they can safely refuse to count the people's ballots. The Independence League protests against this crime, as great as any denounced by the Declaration of Independence in 1776.

The intent of the Independence League is to stir up, organize and express at the polls the determination of the people **NO LONGER TO BE DELIVERED, FOR CASH, AS BLIND PARTY VOTERS BY REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC BOSSES.**

The Independence League claims, honestly, sincerely and justly, the support of every Democrat who believes in the principles of Jefferson and of every Republican who believes in the principles of Lincoln.

The Independence League is not organized to change the American system of government, **BUT TO RESTORE THE AMERICAN SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT.**

The Independence League proposes to guarantee to the people **THE SAFETY OF PROPERTY,** which has been treated with contempt by the new governing force, **PREDATORY WEALTH.**

The Independence League represents the determination **THAT EVERY MAN SHALL POSSESS IN SAFETY THAT WHICH HE HONESTLY PRODUCES** or honestly owns.

The League is organized to **PREVENT THE CONFISCATION OF PROPERTY,** whether it be the property of all the citizens **OR THE PROPERTY OF THE PEOPLE AS INDIVIDUALS.**

The league of independent voters declares that no mass of people shall deprive the individual of that which belongs to him, **AND NO CUNNING INDIVIDUAL SHALL DEPRIVE THE MASSES OF THE PEOPLE OF WHAT BELONGS TO THEM.**

The exploitation of the many by the few illegally is to be stopped by the Independence League, if independent votes can do it. And at the same time the right of the individual in his property is also to be protected, as it has not been in the past, when combinations, dishonest and criminal, have driven the small business man to the wall and shut the gates of opportunity to thousands.

The Independence League advocates public ownership of public utilities. It demands that the people shall own the values which they create.

This is simply another way of saying that the Independence League is opposed to the confiscation of property, and especially to the selling of public property by political bosses in return for plutocrat bribes.

The Independence League, with adherents already numbering hundreds of thousands of citizens, seeks to give to the individual voter and to the masses of the voters **REAL INDEPENDENCE**—independence of boss rule, independence of corporation control, independence of any man, or corporation, or class in the effort to live justly and prosperously within the laws.

The Independence League demands what every American in his heart is determined to have, **AT WHATEVER COST—A FAIR VOTE AND AN HONEST COUNT.**

The Independence League will work to elect representatives of the people **WHO SHALL SERVE THOSE THAT VOTED FOR THEM, AND NOT CORPORATIONS THAT NOMINATE THROUGH SERVILE PARTY MANAGEMENT.**

The Independence League will elect prosecuting officials who will not shiver at the thought of prosecuting the powerful and seek to atone by eagerness in prosecuting the feeble.

The Independence League will seek to put in office an Attorney-General obedient to the laws and not to the nod of plutocrats that own him.

Fellow-citizens, the Independence League, now thoroughly developed in the State of New York and destined to spread all over the United States, represents an organized effort on the part of men, really honest in political action, to give the people the kind of government for which their fathers fought, **AND IN WHICH THEY BELIEVE.**

YOU should join this League wherever you live. **YOU** should work for it. You should determine that **YOUR VOTE—THE ONE THING THAT MAKES YOU A MAN**—shall not be taken from you by the miserable political tools of conscienceless individuals.

[If you believe in these principles and wish to join the League, write to the Secretary, Independence League of Massachusetts, 402-403 Winthrop Building, Boston. If you will assist in organizing a branch in your city or [illegible] tell him so.]

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

THEY DO IT ON $11.50 PER

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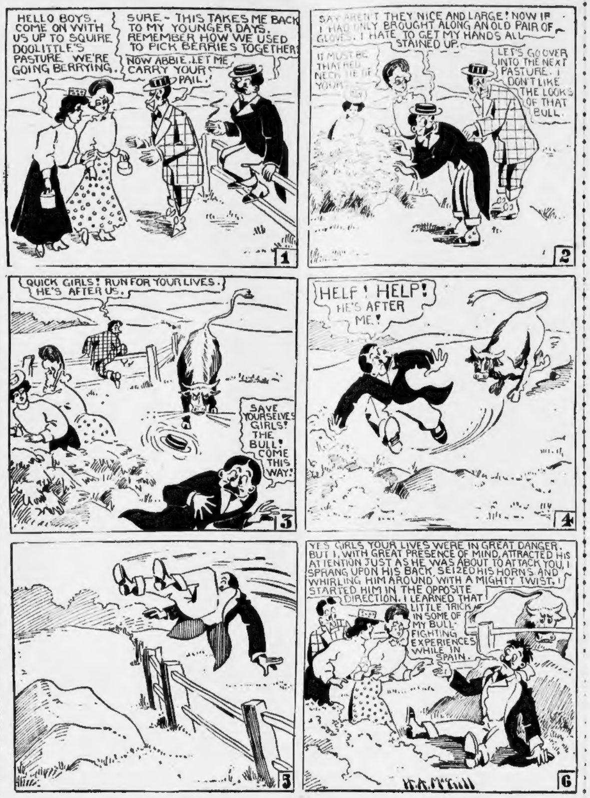
HELLO BOYS. COME ON WITH US UP TO SQUIRE DOOLITTLE'S PASTURE. WE'RE GOING BERRYING.
SURE - THIS TAKES ME BACK TO MY YOUNGER DAYS. REMEMBER HOW WE USED TO PICK BERRIES TOGETHER?
NOW ABBIE, LET ME CARRY YOUR PAIL.
1
SAY AREN'T THEY NICE AND LARGE! NOW IF I HAD ONLY BROUGHT ALONG AN OLD PAIR OF GLOVES. I HATE TO GET MY HANDS ALL STAINED UP.
IT MUST BE THAT RED NECK TIE OF YOURS
LET'S GO OVER INTO THE NEXT PASTURE. I DON'T LIKE THE LOOKS OF THAT BULL.
2
QUICK GIRLS! RUN FOR YOUR LIVES. HE'S AFTER US.
SAVE YOURSELVES GIRLS! THE BULL! COME THIS WAY!
3
HELP! HELP! HE'S AFTER ME!
4
5
YES GIRLS YOUR LIVES WERE IN GREAT DANGER. BUT I, WITH GREAT PRESENCE OF MIND, ATTRACTED HIS ATTENTION JUST AS HE WAS ABOUT TO ATTACK YOU, I SPRANG UPON HIS BACK, SEIZED HIS HORNS AND WHIRLING HIM AROUND WITH A MIGHTY TWIST, I STARTED HIM IN THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION. I LEARNED THAT LITTLE TRICK IN SOME OF MY BULL-FIGHTING EXPERIENCES WHILE IN SPAIN.
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H.A. McGILL

PERCY RAN LIKE A HERO AND SAVED THE GIRLS' LIVES

IN BUGVILLE

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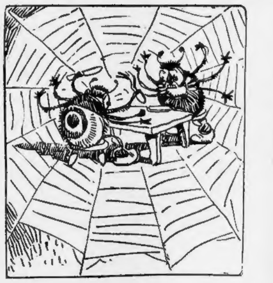

MR. SPIDER—My goodness, times are getting hard. This confounded fly paper trust is getting everything.

MR. MOTH—Well, well! Who'd-a-thought I'd be so wealthy?

Massachusetts

An Invocation

LONG have I watched you, Massachusetts, long
Pondered your deep decline from nobler days;
Through barren years when neither Man nor Song
Fanned your dull discontent into a blaze
Of that old patriot ardor past all praise.
Often with eyes grown dim and heart that bled
I have paused where Shaw with his immortal dead
Bears his bright banner amid the battle's flame—
Symbol of what you were—and I have said:
When shall we rise from out this shadow of shame?

SUNK in a savage lust of sordid gain,
Your sons forget the standards of your youth;
Barter and sale your State House records stain
And lawless Banded Money without Ruth
In your name honors Treason and outlaws Truth.
Sleek panders for their clients upon your floor
Have worked their will, which ominous fruitage bore.
O Massachusetts on thy haughty name
Darkens a stain it never knew before:
When shall we rise from out this shadow of shame?

LO, gaze about you down the world's long ways—
You that were wont to lead—look, listen and know
How social wrath assails the Power that Preys,
Smiting the hydra savagely, blow on blow.
Shall you still cower before the common foe,
Or shall you send your noblest to the van,
Declaring anew the stubborn Rights of Man?
You that have judged the world with blame or praise
Are now on trial; O answer as you can:
When shall we rise from out this shadow of shame?

ENVOY.

PRINCE of the Common, touch our cold hearts with fire!
Your cause is ours, in war and peace the same.
Lead us in spirit, teach our starved souls to aspire:
Then shall we rise from out this shadow of shame!

FRANK PUTNAM.

Rascals All

By George Bernard Shaw

IF you live in a guilty society you cannot help being guilty yourself.

If you are among a number of other persons who are wicked and vicious and stupid, you will be wicked and vicious and stupid yourself.

They will not let you be anything else.

If you try to be anything else they will either try to put you in prison or hang you for it. You are absolutely conditioned by the society in which you live.

The whole country is in the hands of rascals—rascals is perhaps rather a strong word to use—but competition makes rascality compulsory.

We are all of us more or less rascals, for we profit by the cheapness of things regardless of how they are made—even good people in the enjoyment of what are called independent incomes.

I daresay that a great deal of the profits which are made in this rascally way go to pay for the smart hats and dresses which I see around me every day.

They would give me a very great deal more pleasure to contemplate if I did not consider the other sorts of hats and dresses which we see in the slums of our great cities.

A proletariat means to those of independent means, people whom they have robbed, whom they mean to rob to a great extent, if not to murder altogether.

Poverty a Crime

I PRESUME they do not do it altogether intentionally. Although they are all brigands, I presume most of them would not be brigands if they could help it. I daresay there are a great many people to whom the idea of their being brigands is entirely new because they are supporters of the existing state of affairs.

If they see in the world very great discrepancies between poor and rich people it is accounted for by the fact that some people are drunken and improvident and good for nothing, and that other people are sober and of high character.

It would be very interesting to work out a few examples of that. For instance, I know a district in London where I was once lecturing, and I asked there what was the ordinary wage of the laborer, and they said $5 a week. On beginning to make some observations as to how a family could live on $5 I found that the family had to live on $3.25, because the man kept $1.75 for drink. There was a sort of feeling that that was rather much for him to keep for drink.

But I would like some of the richer members of the community to make a calculation as to how much they spend on drink during the week, whether, for instance, the wine they had for dinner would be covered by $1.75 a week.

I can assure you that there is hardly a self-respecting lady and gentleman who does not spend a great deal more on drink every week, proportionately, than does the laborer.

There are vices which are peculiar to poverty, and there are vices which are peculiar to riches.

Poverty is a crime in itself.

There are classes in our present society who have made up their minds that they will not be poor.

Is Plenty of Money

THERE are people who say, "Provided you do not ask us to be poor, we will exercise all the virtues, that is, all the other virtues.

"We will be Christian, charming, cultured, literary and artistic—but first you must give us enough money to lead a decent life.

"In order to keep that money we will turn starving people out of houses; we will go into the houses where they are people dying; we will take the door off its hinges and the windows out, because we must have our rents.

"But we will get our money—it may be by poisoning people in the potteries, in the chemical factories or in the match factories. No matter. The first law of life is that we must have money."

If everybody were to take that line society would immediately be reformed.

The great test of society is always this: When you do a thing, what would hapen if everybody else did it?

If the whole nation followed the example of the upper classes, and made up their minds not to practice any of the graces or virtues of life until they were provided with riches, the result would be that the nation would be reconstituted.

There is quite enough money for everybody to live a decent life provided it were properly distributed.

There are short commons on one hand and on the other a terrible overflow of money, no work at all, and a horrible sort of penal servitude which is generally described as a life of pleasure and amusement.

I myself am in a position to test all these delights and pleasures if I like. I have all those things within my reach, but I thank Heaven I have sufficient strength of mind not to allow myself to be driven about and to despise that life which riches would enable me to live.

I pity, not envy, those who live a life of luxury and so-called pleasure.

Little Editorials from the People

A YOUNG REFORMER.

EDITOR BOSTON AMERICAN:

The other day I met a little boy about four years old smoking a cigarette; I took it away from him and stamped it out. I think smoking is very injurious. There ought to be a law to prevent men from throwing cigar or cigarette stubs on the street.

VICTOR G. MONTEIRO,
9 years old; No. 38 Princeton street,
Easton Boston.

NOW WHAT D'YE THINK OF THAT?

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I love to see a roundsman round;
'Tis said that some are square.

I hate dark, dangerous coquettes,
Because they are not fair.

I love to watch skylarking youths,
For youth must have its fling;

But, most of all, I love to see
A soldier soldiering!